

PLANE, PILOTED BY WOMAN, MAKES OCEAN HOP

EMMERSON'S MESSAGE IS READ TODAY

Governor Makes Recommendations To General Assembly

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Governor Emmerson's recommendations to 57th General Assembly: Congressional reapportionment. Redistricting of State. Limitation Cook county in one house. Tax relief for real estate. Unemployment relief by public building. Extension hard roads through cities. Hard road belt lines. Home rule for Chicago. Public construction "within reason." Enactment of enforceable laws. Expedite justice. Reform criminal court machinery. Complete bond issue road system. Relieve agriculture. Tax reduction. Free gate at State Fair. Prosecute gas tax delinquents. Tax intangibles. Economy in Public office. Increase state police to capacity. Limit bus and truck weight on roads. Continue enlargement of institutions. Hard road widening.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 7.—(AP)—Governor Louis L. Emmerson read his biennial message to the 57th General Assembly here this afternoon. Re-apportionment, redistricting of the state home rule for Chicago, equalization of the tax burden, hard road belt lines, unemployment relief through public buildings, agricultural and labor relief were outstanding recommendations, combined with a plea for efficiency and economy. It was not exactly a gloomy picture he painted for the General Assembly, but it was a frank discussion of the important problems that must be solved with the charge that the Assembly dispatch its work as speedily as possible in the interest of the state.

The chief executive opened his discussion by bringing before the Assembly a word picture of the world-wide economic depression and the situation it has created in Illinois. "During the biennium since the last regular session there has been a marked change in the economic situation in Illinois, as well as in the rest of the country, due to the world-wide depression. At the same time rural sections of the state have been seriously affected by one of the worst drought and crop failures in recent years," he said.

"In view of the fact that Illinois is third in both manufacturing and agriculture, it has not felt the depression to as great an extent as might have been expected. Moreover, there are strong indications in recent weeks that we are heading back toward normalcy."

Encourage Industry

"It is highly important, however, for this General Assembly in its deliberations to take into full account all of the factors in the existing situation."

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Says Wife Shot Two Babies, Killed Self

Salt Lake City, Jan. 7.—(UP)—A young mother was shot to death and her two children wounded critically in their home here today. The husband, Gabriel Ahlander, 25, said his wife shot the children and herself. He was held on an open charge.

The mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Ahlander, had been shot twice. One bullet penetrated her heart. Her body was slumped over a baby's crib.

The police found the two children Clyde 4, and Floyd 2, writhing in pain on a double bed. Neither child was expected to live.

Police said Ahlander insisted his wife shot the children and then shot herself. The husband notified authorities of the tragedy. He was hysterical when police arrived at the home. Ahlander said his wife became enraged while quarreling with him upon their return home from a dance.

BRUTE IS GUARDED

Woodstock, Ill., Jan. 7.—(UP)—William Ganske 20, who confessed to a criminal attack on a nine-year-old Crystal Lake girl Monday night, was under guard in the McHenry county jail here today as a precaution against mob violence. He is expected to be indicted Monday by the January grand jury.

REPUBLICANS IN ASSEMBLY HAVE AGREED

Harmony Prevailed At Caucus: Shanahan To Be Speaker

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 7.—(AP)—A Republican majority of fifteen votes in the Senate and a majority of nine votes in the House, at noon today resulted in Republican organization of both houses of the 57th General Assembly.

Secretary of State William J. Stratton wielded the gavel calling the House to order, and Lieutenant Governor Fred E. Sterling presided at the opening of the Senate. Roll calls showed 33 Republicans and 18 Democrats in the Senate and 81 Republicans and 72 Democrats in the House.

Organization matters, simplified by caucuses of both parties last night, were expedited, for two good reasons. One was that it must be done, the other was that the legislators' salaries for their terms of two years, depend upon it. With organization out of the way the 204 legislators will line up at the State Treasurer's office this afternoon for a large check apiece.

BY DON E. CHAMERLAIN (United Press Staff Correspondent) Springfield, Ill., Jan. 7.—(UP)—Party harmony restored through unanimous approval of David E. Shanahan, Chicago, as its candidate for Speaker in the House of Representatives, thus averting possible election of a Democrat, Republicans were prepared today to organize both houses of the Illinois General Assembly which convenes shortly after noon.

Every one of the 81 Republican members of the House were on hand last night when State Central Committee Chairman C. J. Doyle called the party House caucus to order. Rumblings of revolt which had been heard all day and had continued up to within a few minutes before the caucus began vanished almost immediately after nominations were in order.

Shanahan was the only one placed in nomination for Speaker and among those to second him were G. J. Johnson, Paxton, who announced his withdrawal as a candidate as he made his seconding motion.

Senate Republicans at their caucus nominated Richard Barr, Joliet, as President pro tem and Elmer J. Little, Chicago, as President of the Senate. Elmer J. Little, Chicago, as their Floor Leader.

The Democratic caucuses also were held without friction. Michael L. Igoe, Chicago, being named Minority Leader in the House, and Senator Thomas Courtney, Chicago, in the Senate.

Full-Time Watchman Sent To Jail

Chicago, Jan. 7.—(UP)—For weeks Frank Eckhart has had no time to sleep but for the next year he will have little time to do anything else.

Eckhart was employed by the Brunswick-Balke-Colender Company as day watchman at \$42 a week. He was authorized by the company to hire a night watchman. He hired John Richards.

After many weeks it was discovered that Frank Eckhart, day watchman and John Richards, night watchman, were the same man. At the end of each day, Eckhart changed his name and his time clock and each Saturday drew \$84 pay instead of \$42.

"Perhaps you and Richards should have a year each in jail, but I'll make it just a year for you, and \$25 fine for Richards," ruled Judge Alfred Erickson in sentencing Eckhart for obtaining money under false pretenses.

TO RECOGNIZE ANDRADE

Washington, Jan. 7.—(UP)—Under-Secretary of State Cotton formally announced today that the American Minister to Guatemala had been instructed to call on President Jose Andrade tomorrow and inform him that the United States would recognize his regime.

The champagne crop for France in 1930 was poor, due to the cold summer and later humidity which ruined vines.

LEGALITY OF PETIT JURY IN LEE COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT WILL BE ATTACKED: NO WOMEN ARE NAMED

It was intimated today that the failure of the Board of Supervisors to include women on the panels of the petit jury which will serve during the January term of the Circuit Court, will be attacked by members of the Lee County Bar Association, taking action similar to that which has been instituted in several Illinois counties. One of the local attorneys stated today that he would enter an objection before Judge Harry Edwards. No objection was filed against the selection and action of the grand jury for the present term.

Judge C. J. Searle of Rock Island, sitting in Whiteside county Circuit

WELFARE WORK MUST CONTINUE; CASH IS NEEDED

Present Conditions In This Community Make G. F. Work Necessary

More funds are necessary to keep the Goodfellow work going through the winter. Ordinarily the Goodfellow campaign closes at Christmas time and is only designed to make a cheerful Christmas for the little folks, but this year, with so much unemployment and the hardship and destitution that come with it Goodfellow work was put on a purely practical basis. No money was expended on toys. The donations of toys and the fine work of the Dixon fire department took care of that. Goodfellow money went for clothing, food and coal.

There is more unemployment now than there was at Christmas time. There are scores of families who are depending upon the Goodfellow Club to feed them, families who have been supplied with coal and fuel by the Goodfellow Club for several weeks and who will be unable to support themselves until jobs are available.

Funds Nearly Gone

It goes without saying that in a community like Dixon there can be no thought of anyone starving or freezing if people know about it. But the facts remain that there are lots of hungry people in Dixon tonight, in spite of Goodfellow aid. As yet the Goodfellow Club has not turned down anyone really in need of food or fuel.

But Goodfellow funds are nearly exhausted, and if the Goodfellows close up shop for want of funds it will mean a very serious situation for many many families in this city.

If you want to help keep the Goodfellow work going—if you want to keep families of our own townships from starving, there are at least two ways you can do it. You can "adopt" a family and agree to keep them in food or coal or both for the rest of the winter or until the wage earner can get a job, or you can send your check to the Goodfellow Club.

No Overhead Expense

Remember this—every cent you donate goes in its entirety to the purchase of food, fuel, etc. There is no overhead charge. No salary nor expense of any kind to be taken out. The welfare headquarters, which have been established on the third floor over Sullivan's drug store, are donated by Mrs. L. D. Dent, owner of the building. The Chamber of Commerce installed a telephone and fixed clothes racks, etc. The Nurses Alumni spends several days a week sewing and repairing clothing which is donated by Dixon people. The coal to heat the hall is donated by local coal dealers.

The Goodfellow Club gets hourly calls for food and fuel. Won't you Goodfellows of Dixon help to make it possible to respond to these calls.

Donations Received

We have received a fine donation today. A check for \$50 from "A Friend" who had previously donated very generously, and who knows that it is positively necessary to carry on the work for the next two or three months.

The Evening Telegraph has donated another \$25 to add to its previous donation. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller gave \$10, so relief work can be carried on for a few days with the funds on hand. All of the coal donated by the Illinois Northern Utilities Co. and Frank Rink, twenty loads of coal from each, has been delivered so appeals for coal from now on require cold cash to pay for it unless someone else gets big hearted and donates some coal for Goodfellow distribution.

Donations should be addressed to the Goodfellow Club, care of the Dixon Evening Telegraph. Appeals for help will be received either at the Evening Telegraph office or the welfare headquarters over Sullivan's drug store.

WOUNDS PROVE FATAL

Panama City, Jan. 7.—(UP)—Hartwell F. Ayres, Alabama newspaper man wounded accidentally in the recent revolution here, died at 5 A. M. today. Ayres made a remarkable fight for life against heavy odds. He was wounded in the neck, abdomen and hip.

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Court Monday, discharged the grand jury for the January term on the grounds that no women were selected for service. The court's order declared the selection of the grand jurors was null and void because the chosen members were all males and further held that the statute providing that women are eligible for service became effective December 2. As the result another grand jury is to be selected to report next week.

Judge Harry Edwards stated this morning that no objection to the panels of petit jurors had been entered before him, but that he had learned that such action was contemplated.

INDUSTRIAL AMERICA IS GIVING EVERY INDICATION OF RE-AWAKENING ACTIVITY

More Than 60,000 Employees Put Back To Work This Week

New York, Jan. 7.—(AP)—Work and pay for upwards of 60,000 persons beneath the spreading smoke of new-built or rebuilt factory fires is industrial America's new year contribution to employment.

Orders for rails, for rail cars, for locomotives, for automobiles, for steamships, for corn products, for hardware, explosives, plumbing and window glass as well as dwindling stocks of once over-produced textiles are demanding the laying-on of erstwhile idle hands.

Advices from industrial sections, taking no account of construction, revealed in some cases enough factory re-employment to alleviate materially local conditions. Added was the indication of numerous plants about to start or re-start in which no estimate was made of the number of men expected to be employed.

Order for four steamships from the Panama Mail Company assured two years of work for 3,000 men at Kearny, N. J.

The automobile plants in the Detroit area recalled 22,000 men after inventory.

Clash of hammer and tong in railroad shops accounted for another total of 18,500 idle returned to bread-winning.

Steel Mills Active

Steel mills of Youngstown, Ohio, pressed from the auto industry, recalled 2,000 workers at the end of December and varied Cleveland industries reinstated 1,347 on payrolls in the past ten days.

Rail mills of one company at Birmingham, Ala., are expected to open January 12 with 1,500 employed directly or indirectly.

The Sanitary Manufacturing Company said rush orders for 800 cars or enamel work enabled it to add 2,000 men to its plants in Louisville, Baltimore and Pittsburgh.

Rush orders for 50,000 tons of steel and 1,500 gondola cars will keep 500 additional men busy at Pittsburgh until May 1.

New Plant Opened

Wierston Steel Corporation opened a new \$3,000,000 plant at Wheeling, W. Va., December 29 with 150 men on the payroll. Bethlehem Steel Corporation added 400 at Baltimore.

The Inland Steel Company announced it was negotiating for \$4,000,000 worth of machinery to equip a projected steel plate mill at Indiana Harbor, Ind. Working hours in the plants of the Firestone Tire & Rubber Company were increased 20 per cent and Goodyear Rubber returned to the 8-hour day.

An order for 40 new locomotives for the New York Central Railroad assured an increase of employment in the Schenectady plant of the American Locomotive Company and ports from Seattle, Wash., indicated a dozen new plants of varied industries about to start operation.

The Boeing airplane factory there has a government contract for 110 planes to be filled in the early part of the year.

PLACE BIG STEEL ORDER

Philadelphia, Jan. 7.—(UP)—The Pennsylvania Railroad today placed with four large American steel manufacturers orders for 20,000 tons of steel rail for use by the railroad, it was announced at general offices of the Pennsylvania Railroad.

The United States Steel Corporation will supply 100,000 tons, divided between the Carnegie Steel Co. and the Inland Steel Co., the former to furnish 60,000 tons and the latter 40,000 tons.

The Bethlehem Steel Co. will furnish 88,000 tons and the Inland Steel Co. 12,000.

TELLS OF CONDITIONS

Washington, Jan. 7.—(UP)—Chairman Arthur Woods of the President's Emergency Employment Committee told the Senate Appropriations committee today that between 4,000,000 and 5,000,000 persons were unemployed in the United States. He employed in a witness before the committee which is inquiring into the legacy of administration drought and unemployment relief plans.

"My best estimate," Woods said, "is that there now are between 4,000,000 and 5,000,000 persons completely unemployed at the present time and my feeling is that this situation won't improve until the spring."

Woods said a census of the unemployed by regular census workers was planned for mid-January in large cities and he expects those figures to represent the situation at its worst because "employment is likely to be lowest in January and February."

Replying to questions from Senator Copeland, Dem., N. Y., and Senator Bratton, Dem., N. M., Woods said there was a "distressing amount" of unemployment and that a situation wherein capable, eager persons were unable to obtain work was "intolerable."

Similar to 1920-21.

"The situation in 1920-21 was not far different," Woods continued. "If we say now that we are dragging the bottom and that employment is likely to be lowest in January and February."

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ITALIANS' AIR ODYSSEY HAILED AS BIG TRIUMPH

The Flight Of Ten Planes Across Ocean Made Aviation History

By United Press

A triumph for the Fascist leaders of Italy was hailed in Europe and America today with the completion of a squadron flight of giant Savoia-55 seaplanes across the South Atlantic ocean from Portuguese West Africa to Brazil.

The flight was one of the most ambitious in aviation history, involving the passage of planes across the ocean in military formation as part of a voyage from Italy to Rio de Janeiro. The speed of the group of planes was exceptional for a squadron over such a long distance, being about 100 miles an hour.

Of the 14 planes that left Lake Obbetello, in Italy, on December 17th, six giant craft soared over the coast to South America late yesterday in perfect flying formation. They were followed by four more planes, which reached Natal in formation at the end of the flight of some 1,900 miles across the ocean. Two other planes were forced to land at sea, but were picked up by Italian war vessels along the route.

Only 12 planes were scheduled to make the flight across the ocean, two of the craft that flew from Italy remaining at Bolama, Portuguese West Africa. Dispatches from Bolama, however, said one plane was lost and another damaged in a collision at the take off. A mechanic was reported missing. At least one plane which made the ocean flight started 90 minutes late, catching up with the squadron, indicating that the reserve planes were used in the flight, although exact details were not made available either at Rome or Bolama.

TO CONTINUE FLIGHT

Natal, Brazil, Jan. 7.—(AP)—Thousands of natives of this far northern tip of the South American continent gathered here today to look at ten great Italian seaplanes which yesterday flew nearly 1,700 miles across the Atlantic, from Bolama, Portuguese Guinea, West Africa.

The planes, three of them black, three green, two red and two white, floated at anchor in the Potengi river.

Day after tomorrow the air caravan will continue its journey down the Brazilian coast to Rio de Janeiro, alighting in Botafogo Bay near the presidential palace to complete an odyssey of 7,000 miles which began with departure from Orbetello, Italy, on December 17.

General Italo Balbo, Italian Air Minister and leader of the caravan, brought the first of the planes to arrive here down on the waters of the Potengi river at 4:15 p. m. yesterday (1:15 p. m. Illinois time), 17 hours and 15 minutes after departure from Bolama. Five others settled to the river a moment after and at 3:30 p. m. the four remaining planes to complete the flight came down.

Natal, which has seen both dirigible and airplanes arrive from long over-ocean flights, gave the Italian air caravan a great welcome. Multitudes stood out in equatorial rains for hours to cheer the arrival. Each of the planes carried four men.

It is not understood whether the caravan will continue to Buenos Aires. The planes to be sold to the Brazilian government.

Th planes are of the Savoia-Marchetti "55" type adopted as bombing planes by the Italian Navy. Each is equipped with two 500-horsepower Fiat motors, mounted in tandem above the wings. The propellers of and those in the rear four-bladed, and these in the rear four-bladed.

TWO GANGSTERS' SLAIN

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 7.—(UP)—Two gangsters were found shot to death on a roadside north of St. Louis today, the latest victims in a series of gang shootings here. The two were identified later by police as Leo Orlando, cuckoo gangster, and Isadore Katz. Both had been shot several times.

Sweden now has more than half a million telephones and has just been connected with Germany by a new cable.

HARD UP, MAN ADVERTISED SELF AS 18-YEAR-OLD GIRL WITH ROSE BUD MOUTH: AND MONEY POURED IN

Fergus Falls, Minn., Jan. 7.—(UP)—Faced with the necessity of raising money or losing his property, Arthur M. Crapo, 52, advertised through matrimonial agencies that he was "an 18-year-old girl with a rose-bud mouth" and the money "just rolled in" from men who wanted to marry. Crapo told in federal court.

Crapo's system, he told the court when arraigned on a charge of using the mails to defraud, was to run advertisements under the name of "Ella Saltsbury." He described "Ella" as having "fair pink cheeks and a clear complexion."

More than 30 men wrote to him, he said, offering themselves in marriage. He answered as many of the letters as he could, explaining to the matrimonial prospects that "Ella" did not have money to pay railroad fare to go to them. In reply, he received about \$400 from various parts of the country.

Crapo's case was continued while a probation officer investigated his plea that posing as "Ella Saltsbury" was the only way he could find to raise money to pay overdue taxes.

ROCKFORD MAN KILLS SELF IN ROCHELLE SHED

Aged Man, Fearful Of Poverty, Suicided This Morn

Fearful that he would become a penniless hobo unable to care for his wife, although possessed of a nice home in Rockford and personal property valued at over \$20,000, Charles H. Babcock, aged 70, of Rockford, committed suicide by hanging himself early today in a shed at the home of his brother, Martin Babcock, of Rochelle, to whose home he had gone to visit Sunday.

Testimony at the inquest conducted at Rochelle this morning by Coroner Dr. J. C. Akin of Forreston, was to the effect that the unfortunate man, a laborer, had labored under the hallucination that he would become poor for some time, and that he had attempted suicide several times before, but had weakened at the crucial time.

He slept with his brother last night and the latter awakened about 1 o'clock to find him out of bed. In answer to a query he replied he was unable to sleep, but at Martin's insistence he returned to bed and the Rochelle man soon fell asleep again. Early this morning Martin again awoke and found he was alone. Hastily dressing he hurried to the shed at the rear of the house, where he found his brother's body, still warm, hanging from a rafter. A physician was summoned but the aged man was beyond medical skill.

Burial of the deceased, who is survived only by his widow and brother will take place at Flagg.

Young Victims Of Paralysis Better

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 7.—(UP)—Healing effects of the drinker's respirator upon an 11-year-old girl and the apparent improvement of a 13-year-old boy today relieved physicians of the problem of deciding which to aid in case both reached a crisis.

Lucille Zopf, 11 and blonde, lay in the "mechanical lung" machine which had kept her alive 24 days, known to her, Donald Johnson, fellow infantile paralysis victim, was in an adjoining room where nurses stood ready to administer artificial respiration if the disease causes him to gasp for breath. He has been ill 10 days.

Lucille was able today to breathe unaided for more than an hour at a time. She had been removed from the respirator for a short period every three hours as a measure to strengthen the lung muscles.

Donald has been kept alive by the constant attention of doctors and nurses. Today his condition showed a change for the better, they said. He was able to take nourishment and seemed to have little difficulty in breathing.

Fear Memphis, Tenn. Matron Is Kidnaped

Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 7.—(UP)—The search for Mrs. Blythe Thompson Long, young society matron, who disappeared at the edge of the Mississippi river Sunday, was carried forward today on the theory that she had been kidnaped.

Mrs. Long, wife of a former Seawave University football star and mother of a two-month-old baby, was sought in nearby Arkansas and Tennessee towns.

Police said they received information from an unnamed source that she was kidnaped. Her automobile was found abandoned near a bridge over the Mississippi. Prints of a woman's shoes left in the mud nearby led to the water's edge, then back to the automobile.

The supposed kidnapping theory was not amplified, and the river was to be dragged because of a suspicion that Mrs. Long may have committed suicide.

Durands Two Banks Plan To Merge Soon

Durand, Ill., Jan. 7.—(UP)—Plans for consolidating Durand's two banks the Citizens State and the Durand State, into a single institution, capitalized at \$50,000 have been approved by officers and directors. Stockholders will be asked to ratify the merger which will become effective January 19.

Another Candidate In Chicago Primary

Chicago, Jan. 8.—(AP)—Friends of Thomas J. Huston, former head of Mayor Thompson's Civil Service Commission and a high official in Masonic circles here, said they would file his petition, containing 18,000 names, for the Republican mayoralty nomination today. They said Huston, who was out of the city was unaware of their intentions but they were sure he would run as a "business man candidate" and that there was "not a politician among his supporters."

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"TRADE WIND" MAKES FIRST LEG OF TRIP

Made Flight There In Six Hours; To Continue To Paris

(BULLETIN)

Hamilton, Bermuda, Jan. 7.—(AP)—The monoplane Trade Wind arrived here at 1:55 p. m.

The graceful white ship, carrying Mrs. Beryl Hart and Lieutenant William S. MacLaren, skimmed down to a pretty landing in Hamilton harbor at 12:55 E. S. T.

The flight from Hampton Roads, Va., had taken 6 hours and 55 minutes and completed the first leg of a projected flight to Paris by way of the Azores.

Hampton Roads Naval Air Station, Va., Jan. 7.—(AP)—The sleek white monoplane "Tradewind" piloted by a youthful red-haired widow and the man who taught her to fly streaked away in the darkness today on a flight via Bermuda and the Azores to Paris, carrying a pay cargo.

With the 300-horsepower motor roaring, Mrs. Beryl Hart and Lieutenant William S. MacLaren took to the air at 6 a. m. MacLaren was at the controls. It was their second take-off on the flight and the fliers expressed belief that "lucky luck," work deserted them on the attempt last Saturday, had smiled on the effort. There was evidence in the form of a quattering tailwind.

The plane circled over the naval air station for a few minutes before heading out on the adventure across the Atlantic. The weather was clear.

Woman To Pilot

Mrs. Hart, who holds an unlimited transport license, caused the take-off to her destination, the navigator of the flight, but expected to pilot the plane most of the way. She was smiling and confident as she took her place in the monoplane after expressing her thanks to naval fliers for the welcome and assistance given them since Saturday when they brought the "Tradewind" down here after an unsuccessful effort to locate Bermuda in a 16-hour flight from New York.

The fliers had a new sextant to replace the one damaged shortly after their take-off from New York and on which they placed a large share of the blame for failure of the first attempt.

Two Gangsters Of Chicago Are Slain

Chicago, Jan. 7.—(UP)—Pasquale "Patsy" Tardi, 23, said to be a leader of the notorious "42" gang and once held for five days as a suspect in the slaying of Alford Lingie, was murdered late last night. His companion, Ralph Costanzo, 20, was wounded critically.

Costanzo, who had no police record, told officers that he and Tardi were walking along a street when two men suddenly confronted them and started shooting with automatic pistols. Tardi was hit twice in the head, and Costanzo twice in the abdomen.

Tardi had been a police character for 13 years.

A few hours before Tardi was slain, Frank Candela, 51, known to police as a minor gangster, was shot and killed by gangsters who ambushed him in front of his home.

Rev. B. T. Stuttsman Of Des Moines Dead

Rev. B. T. Stuttsman, pastor of the Church of the Brethren at Des Moines, Iowa, died at his home here Tuesday morning of pneumonia. He will be remembered by those who attended his very splendid revival meetings conducted here in the Church of the Brethren two years ago, and for his special address before the Kiwanis Club luncheon at that time. Mrs. Stuttsman, who also were with him here, will have the sincere sympathy of their many friends at this place and wherever he was known as one of the strong men of the future Brethren fraternity.

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TODAY'S MARKET REPORTS

CORN REPLACES WHEAT AS BOARD OF TRADE KING

Largest Pit Will Be Given Over To It After Saturday

Chicago, Jan. 7.—(AP)—A proposal to extend the trading hours on the Chicago Board of Trade three-quarters of an hour to close at 2 o'clock instead of 1:15 as they now are, was submitted to the members of the board today. This would be effective every day except Saturday when the board would close at its usual time, 12 noon. Results of the vote will be made known after the close today.

Chicago, Jan. 7.—(AP)—Corn has replaced wheat as ruler on the Board of Trade.

Notice was given today that the largest pit on the exchange floor, always until now the realm of the wheat trader and often the locale of wild excitement during critical market days, will be given over to the traders in corn after this week.

The shift in market leadership is almost akin to a change from gold to silver standard.

During the last year trading in corn has become increasingly active while wheat sales, particularly in recent months, have dwindled until large orders are relatively unknown and the pit is a place of apathy, all but deserted. Beginning next Monday the smaller pit heretofore used for trading in corn will be the gathering place of the wheat traders.

Corn is free from the government stabilization program and as a consequence attracts an unusually large following. It has outgrown its pit-trading in wheat, on the other hand, is chiefly confined to government-sponsored buyers and sellers endeavoring to stabilize the price of the grain.

Although corn is still 20 to 22 cents under its level of a year ago, its depression is partly attributed by Board of Trade operators as the inevitable aftermath of the devaluation of wheat, which sells at 40 to 50 cents a bushel less than at this time last year. For a time recently corn actually led wheat in price, breaking from the usual rule of 30 cents a bushel under wheat futures of the corresponding month.

Corn receipts have averaged more than 100 cars a day for the past season as compared with less than 30 of wheat. Under the leadership of corn it is now predicted Board of Trade will witness a revival of trading in that commodity comparable with the old time activity in the wheat pit.

MARKETS At A Glance

By United Press
Stocks firm, helped by advance in rubbers following declaration of regular Goodyear dividend; rails and oils higher.

Bonds continue advance under the lead of oils and utilities.

Chicago stocks higher; utilities in demand.

Call money easy at renewal rate of 1 1/2 per cent.

Foreign exchange steady; sterling up.

Wheat rallies more than a cent a bushel; corn active and strong; oats firm.

Chicago livestock: hogs steady to strong, some higher; cattle strong; sheep strong to unevenly higher.

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, Jan. 7.—(AP)—Hogs: 28,000, including 7,000 direct; steady to strong; 5 to 10 higher on heavy weights packing sows steady; 8.20; bulk 130-200 lbs 8.00 to 8.15; 210-300 lbs 7.60 to 8.00; pigs 7.75 to 8.10; packing sows 6.35 to 6.75; light light, good and choice 140-180 lbs 8.00 to 8.20; light weight 160-200 lbs 8.00 to 8.20; medium weight 200-250 lbs 7.70 to 7.95; heavy weight 250-350 lbs 7.35 to 7.85; packing sows, medium and good 275-500 lbs 6.25 to 6.75; slaughter pigs, good and choice 100-130 lbs 7.65 to 8.10.

Cattle 9,000; calves 2,000; strictly good and choice fed steers and yearlings strong; instances again 25 higher; lower grade steady to strong; killing quality better; bulk fed steers 8.25 to 11.25; top 13.25; she stock steady to 25 higher; vealers 50 or more lower.

Sheep 13,000; active; fat lambs strong to unevenly higher; other

classes steady to strong; bulk better grade hogs 8.25 to 8.85; early top 8.90; some held higher; choice yearlings 7.25; fat ewes 3.00 to 4.00; lambs 90 lbs down, good and choice 7.75 to 9.30; medium 6.50 to 7.75; all weights, common 5.50 to 6.50; ewes 90-150 lbs medium to choice 2.50 to 4.00; all weights, cull and common 1.50 to 3.00; feeding lambs 60-75 lbs good and choice 6.37 to 7.50.

Official estimated receipts for tomorrow: cattle 7,000; hogs 49,000; sheep 15,000.

Chicago Produce

Chicago, Jan. 7.—(UP)—Eggs: market firm; receipts 3831 cases; extra firsts 26.1; firsts 24.24; ordinaries 18.21; seconds 12 to 15.

Butter: market steady; receipts 4,487 tubs; extra 26 1/2; extra firsts 25 1/2; firsts 24 1/2; seconds 23 1/2; standards 26 1/2.

Poultry: market firm; receipts 4 cars; fowls 22 1/2; springers 23; leg-horns 15; ducks 21; geese 14; turkeys 22 to 25; roosters 14.

Cheese: Twins 15 1/2 to 15 3/4; Young Americas 16.

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Lodge News

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LEGION TO MEET

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Great Salk Lake Succumbs To Cold

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A. B. Purton, geological survey engineer, reported he found ice a quarter of an inch thick, beginning at the shore and extending out 1000 feet.
The lake water is approximately 23 per cent solid.

MAKE FAST TO COLLIER.

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Boatswain Suydam of the Coast Guard said that water was in the after-tanks of the Page and sand was threatening to clog the pumps, but the craft was in no immediate danger. There is a crew of about 50 men aboard.

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HOT PLATE LUNCH 30c
AT SCHILDBERG'S.
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Wawokite Club—Mrs. Edward Johnson, Nechusa.
Prairieville Social Circle—Mrs. Chas. Mannon, north of Prairieville.
American Auxiliary—G. A. R. Hall.
Amboy Ladies Aid Society—Mrs. Leslie Pankhurst, Amboy.
Kings Daughters S. S. class—Mrs. Chas. May, 520 E. McKinney street.
Ideal Club—Miss Hiller, 109 E. Chamberlain street.
Charles Mumma, 121 East Everett St.

Thursday
Ladies Aid Immanuel Lutheran church—At the church.
Kingdom W. M. S.—Mrs. Tom McWeethy at the Kingdom.
Palmyra Unit, Home Bureau—Mrs. Keith Swartz.
Baptist Missionary Society—Mrs. H. V. Baldwin, 410 N. Dement Ave.
Bridge Party for Elks Ladies—Elks Club.
Thursday Reading Circle—Mrs. Chas. Mumma, 121 East Everett St.
Unity Guild—Mrs. A. G. Burnham, 233 Lincoln Way.
E. R. B. Class—St. Paul's Lutheran church.
Aid Society—St. Paul's Lutheran church—At the church.
Prairieville P. T. A.—Prairieville P. T. A.
Daughters Union Veterans—G. A. R. Hall.
W. F. M. S.—Mrs. A. T. Stephenson, 210 Peoria avenue.
Missionary Society Nachusa Lutheran church—Mrs. Harvey Pitzer, Franklin Grove.
W. M. S. Christian Church—Mrs. Ward Hall, 521 East McKinney street.
Dorcas Society—Congregational church.
Women's Missionary Society—Mrs. Ward Hall, 521 E. Morgan St.

Friday
Auxiliary to Veterans Foreign Wars—G. A. R. Hall.
Minnie Bell Rebekah lodge—I. O. O. F. Hall.
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Circle No. 4, M. E. Aid—Mrs. Herbert Harms, 504 N. Galena Ave.
Candlelighters Aid Society—Mrs. J. Franklin Young, 316 E. Third St.
Saturday
Dixon Woman's Club—Christian Church.

Monday, Jan. 12
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Pollyanna Class, St. Paul's church—Mrs. Wayne Wolfe, 1217 First St.
(Call Miss Patrick at No. 5 for society items.)

CROW'S NEST
(White Mountains, 1875)
BUILDING our beacon fire, we spread our feast
On the high cliff high up against the sky;
Eastward a few lone clouds went sailing by,
As more and more the sunset glow increased,
And every sound of bird and leaf had ceased;
Far down below we could the stream espay,
Seeming at rest all motionless to lie;
And we from every burden seemed released.
Range beyond range, we saw the wooded heights;
And far away, backed against pale gold,
Their rightful lords—unspeakable delights!
Their purple splendor sturdily upheld.
While, climbing slow, the moon and eve's first star
Led every thought to heights more cool and far.
—From "A Book of Poems" by John W. Chadwick.

Raymond Lair Had New Year's Party

The Jovial Club members were entertained with a New Year's party at the home of Raymond Lair on January 1st. Before the business meeting, all of the members went down to the river, where they enjoyed skating.

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The members all declared that Raymond was a delightful entertainer. The next meeting will be held at the home of Paul and Warren Wells January 23rd.

VETERANS FOREIGN WARS AUXILIARY TO MEET

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Celery Spiced Peaches
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Coffee

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1-2 cup butter, melted
2 tablespoons finely chopped celery
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1 teaspoon salt
1-4 teaspoon paprika
1 egg
Sprinkle chestnuts on shallow pan. Heat in slow oven until skins burst. Remove from the oven and break off the skins. Mash the chestnuts and add them to rest of ingredients. Mix with fork and carefully and lightly stuff the fowl. This is sufficient dressing of a 12-pound turkey.

Escalloped Onions
24 onions (1 1/2 inches in diameter)
Water
Salt
Peel onions and cover with cold water and add 1-2 teaspoon of salt. Bring to boiling point. Drain and cover again with water and add salt. Bring to boiling point and let cook slowly 10 minutes. Add to sauce. This serves 12.

Sauce
1-3 cup butter
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Mince Meat
2 pounds beef, cooked and chopped
1 pound suet, chopped
4 cups chopped apples
1 cup chopped raisins
2 cups chopped currants
1 tablespoon salt
2 teaspoons cinnamon
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1-4 cup chopped citron
1-4 cup chopped candied orange
4 cups vinegar
Mix ingredients and boil gently until thick.

Equality of Chinese Men and Women

Nanking, Jan. 7.—(AP)—Equality of men and women in China is provided by a law which has passed the legislative council.

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The old theory that women were of little or no use other than to bear children has been discarded.

Divorce laws are changed, and the Chinese husband has been placed in the same position as the American or European husband, unmarried daughters have the same right of property inheritance as sons, the duty of a wife to obey her husband is not recognized by law.

Cripples or persons suffering from incurable diseases will not be permitted to marry while extremely youthful marriages are forbidden.

Eakle-Garner Wedding Saturday

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Circle No. 2, M. E. Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Grace Carpenter, 1315 Third street, Friday afternoon.

Comfy—But the Dean Objects



These winter costumes adopted by co-eds at Oklahoma A. and M. College are comfortable and fetching, according to the co-eds—but they have aroused the objection of Julia Stout, dean of women, who has issued an edict banning them as classroom attire. In this picture, exhibiting the costumes, which are made up of riding breeches, riding boots, sweaters, and men's shirts, topped off by leather or sheepskin jackets, are Lynell Mincey of Oklahoma City (left); Virginia Berry of Pawhuska (center) and Amelia Anne Hale of Pawhuska.

GEORGE WASHINGTON'S WEDDING

When the Young Virginian Met and Won Martha Custis

So much has been written on the more spectacular phases of George Washington's life that it is sometimes difficult to appreciate the really human qualities of the man. One of the finest stories ever told of Washington is that of his courtship of Martha Custis and their subsequent marriage. In this story are revealed some of the best and most attractive qualities of America's greatest hero. The firm, strong-willed leader of men who unflinchingly would face death on the battlefield found that he needed the companionship and helpful counsel of a woman. Fortunately, he met the sort of woman he wanted to preside in his home, and they were married on January 6, 1759.

The story of George Washington's marriage to Martha Custis is told by the Division of Information and Publication of the George Washington Bicentennial Commission, in a statement intended to call attention to the 172nd anniversary of this notable event.

George Washington first met the Widow Custis at the home of Major Chamberlayne in May, 1758. The lady had been a widow for about a year. She had married Colonel Daniel Parke Custis when she was seventeen years old, and was left at his death eight years later, with two small children and a considerable fortune. Although it is said that Washington was formerly presented to Mrs. Custis for the first time by Chamberlayne, it is almost certain that the famous soldier and the charming widow had at least heard of each other before that time.

Fate must have taken a hand in the events of that day in May when Colonel Washington was detained at William's Ferry over the Pamunkey by his friend, Major Chamberlayne, who earnestly pressed upon the young man an invitation to stay his journey and enjoy the hospitality of the plantation. But Washington was hastening to Williamsburg where he intended to ask the Governor in person for men and supplies for the frontier, which previous urgent letters had failed to obtain. Chamberlayne was insistent, however, and when it appeared that all his importunities must fail to alter the plans of the Colonel, he informed the latter that he was then entertaining the charming Mrs. Custis.

This argument, apparently, was potent enough to convince the young warrior where all others had been vain, and Washington consented to remain only long enough to partake of the meal which was then being prepared.

Bishop, the personal servant of Washington, who had served under Braddock, was instructed to hold the Colonel's horse in readiness for a speedy departure as soon as dinner was over. The old soldier knew very well his master's reputation for punctuality and since the business of Williamsburg was important, he fully expected that this visit would be a brief one. But the dinner hour passed, the sun sank lower into the west, and still Washington lingered. At last in the warm dusk of the May evening, the faithful Bishop received orders to stable the horses for the night and the journey was postponed until the next day.

There is something amusing in this scene of budding romance, although it is no wonder that Washington married. Martha Custis was beautiful, attractive and accomplished. She has been described as being short, slightly plump and of engaging personality. Certainly the Colonel's interests in the lady was matched by her own interest in the renowned young soldier, and such mutual agreeableness was surely sufficient to crowd prosaic business into the background.

However, the Governor had to be

counts was the most gallantly magnificent figure in all that assemblage.

At last Mount Vernon had a mistress but months elapsed after the wedding before the young bride saw her future home.

Washington had just been elected to the House of Burgesses so the young couple remained in Williamsburg while that Chamber remained in session until May. When Washington did return with his wife to this beautiful estate on the Potomac, the place became home to both of them for the remainder of their lives.

Washington's marriage was a singularly happy one. In Martha he found all those womanly qualities which were needed to supplement those of his own character. Who can measure the value of the encouragement she must have given him during the weary days of the Revolution? Certainly she was always a faithful and devoted wife, and the devoted wife, and the Father of his Country owed a great deal to her for the measure of success he attained. Among the anniversaries of the many important dates in the life of George Washington, this one of his wedding holds an element of human interest which no doubt is appreciated by all his countrymen.

Hoyle's Museum Of Much Interest

One of the most interesting places in the vicinity of Dixon, Ill., those who are interested in seeing finely mounted specimens of bird and animal life is Hoyle's Museum on the River Road, west of the city. Frank Hoyle, the taxidermist, a licensed practitioner, is an artist in his way. For several years he has been sending specimens of his work from Denver, where he learned his trade, home to his parents. So large had his collection become that after his return home last summer it was decided to erect a special building in which it might be exhibited. This building, located east, is 16x24 feet, 17 feet to the peak. It is built of nigger heads to a height of 7 feet in front. Over the door is the skull and antlers of a doe. In the west end is a fire place, ornamented, in front with a deer head, over which is a deer foot gun rack and a flying pheasant. On either side is an eagle's head. In one corner of the room is a fish pond, built up of rock, several of which are souvenirs from various places of interest in Colorado.

In another corner is a duck pond—a veritable hunter's paradise, with ducks standing on the shore and flying overhead. A muskrat has just left his home and a gopher comes to watch him. An osprey flies over the pond with a fish in its claws. Two owls are sitting by the hole in an old tree stump and several birds have alighted in an old willow tree. In the peak of the building a hawk sits, saluting with spread wings, and a cat is perched on a branch, looking down on a mouse. A turkey has gone to his roost on high. A handsome red fox appears to be running past. A golden eagle watches you with fierce eyes. Prairie chickens, pheasants, quail, pigeons everywhere, look natural as life. And that little fellow you've heard about with two white stripes running down his back, waves his bushy tail and seems to be perfectly at home—don't run he's harmless.

A two-headed calf is a curious freak but not repulsive to look at; and the coyote looks as life-like as the real, live one in his pen outside. Then there are squirrels, chipmunks, horned toads, snakes, small birds and animals, too numerous to mention. There are hides of various animals, deer, bear, elk and mountain sheep and many little novelties, made of deer feet. A marmot, from Colorado, is mistaken by many for a wood chuck. Parts of bodies ready for mounting and skins in preserving solution, give you an idea how the work is done.

Altogether a very interesting hour or two may be spent in this museum which is open to the public. It is located 5 miles west of Dixon, in Palmyra on Lester Hoyle's farm, near the river; and the Hoyle family is always pleased to welcome visitors.

War Mothers Held Interesting Meeting Friday Afternoon

Lee County Chapter American War Mothers held a very interesting meeting Friday afternoon in G. A. R. Hall. After the usual amount of business was transacted the officers for 1931 were installed. The State president, Viola E. Strub, was introduced and in a very efficient manner installed the following: Florence Hardy, Pres.; Elen McIntyre, Senior Vice; Augusta Westland, Junior Vice; Agnes Phalen, 3rd Vice; Lucy East-

man, Treas.; Clea Bunnell Cor. Sec.; Georgia Davis, Chaplain; color bearers, Julia Bradley and Bertha Morgan; flag escort, Mary Walker, Clea Bunnell, Past Pres. of Lee Co. Chapter, was introduced and in her always pleasant way installed Nettie Cookley as musician and Viola E. Strub as recording secretary. These ladies were very ably assisted by Mazie Kelly as Sergeant-at-Arms, who is a daughter of one of the members and a tireless worker in the American Legion Auxiliary.

The following report shows some of the things accomplished for the good of the order and also for the needy ex-service men and their dependents: Magazines sent to the State hospital, 286; 99 lbs. of carpet rags, 16 lbs. of silk, 1 1/2 lbs beads, 36 cartons of cigarettes, 40 doz. cookies, and a case of eggs. Five dollars is sent each month for warm meals, five dollars for Christmas at Hines hospital, five dollars to one of the Dixon boys at Dwight, five dollars to a World War boy who is not receiving a compensation and five dollars to the Memorial Association. Other items noted: replacement of the Service Star Flag to the County Court House; picture of Plunder's Field to the American Legion; giving carnations to the County Jail inmates; overcoats to the needy, greetings to the Golden wedding of two World War boys' parents. Three markers were put at the graves of deceased members. Relief other than money amounts to \$349.70. Child Welfare \$70.00. Margaret O. Potter, Chairman.

Reads and Deckers . . . Enjoy Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Read and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar J. Decker observed their wedding anniversaries on Jan. 4th, at the Decker home in Bluff Park. Several friends joined with them in celebrating the event and enjoyed the evening until a late hour.

A delicious two-course luncheon was served, the table being beautifully decorated in honor of the momentous occasion. Pink sweet peas, sweet peanut cups, place cards and pink tapen were employed in the charming decorations. Molded pink ice cream wedding bells added the final touch.

The former brides exchanged gifts and were remembered with lovely

Can You Name It?



The fruit Mildred Stanley is displaying is a nameless hybrid which is about the size of a grape fruit but of the same color, shape and other characteristics as a lemon. The strange fruit was developed and grown by the plant department of the pharmacy school of the University of Washington, in Seattle.

man, Treas.; Clea Bunnell Cor. Sec.; The Reads and the Deckers hope to celebrate many more anniversaries together.

Married by Judge Wm. L. Leech Tuesday

Henry Ihnen of Rochelle and Miss Clair M. Boelkes, both of Rochelle were united in marriage Tuesday afternoon about 3:30 by Judge William L. Leech in his chambers at the court house. Mr. and Mrs. Ihnen will live in Rochelle, where they are receiving best wishes of their friends.

A short time after the first marriage Judge Leech officiated at the marriage of a Dixon couple, Robert Miller and Miss Rosalee Williams. Mr. and Mrs. Miller will reside in Dixon, where they are receiving the best wishes of their friends.

DORCAS SOCIETY TO MEET THURSDAY

The Dorcas Society of the Congregational church will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 in the parlors at the church. The annual election of officers will be held at this time and it is important that all of the members be present.

TO LEAVE FOR SOJOURN AT ST. PETERSBURG

L. G. Rorer, manager of the Dixon Theatre, and his wife, will leave a week from Monday for St. Petersburg, Fla., where they will spend several weeks, and enjoy the excellent golfing promised them there.

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Practical Club in Meeting on Tuesday

The Practical Club held their meeting at the home of Mrs. R. E. Worsley on Tuesday afternoon. A report of the Christmas committee was given. They had given four baskets at Christmas to needy people, and are still sending milk to some families. These cases had been investigated and the report showed that much time and work had been given by this committee. Mrs. H. A. Ahrens gave a book review on "The Rebel Generation." This story which was laid in Holland was intensely interesting. There was brought into the story three generations.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Worsley and her daughter, Evelyn. Miss Evelyn gave two piano numbers which were much enjoyed.

CORINTHIAN SHRINE TO MEET FRIDAY

Corinthian Shrine No. 40, White Shrine of Jerusalem will hold its stated meeting Friday evening, Jan. 9, at 8 o'clock at the Masonic Temple, after which cards and refreshments will be enjoyed. A good attendance is desired.

POLLYANNA CLASS TO MEET MONDAY

The Pollyanna class of St. Paul's Lutheran church will meet next Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Wayne Wolfe, 1217 First street. All of the members are urged to be present.

W. M. S. CHRISTIAN CHURCH THURSDAY

The Women's Missionary Society of the Christian church will meet at 2:30 Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Ward Hall 521 E. McKinney street. A good attendance is desired.

CANDLELIGHTERS AID TO MEET FRIDAY

The Candlelighters Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church will meet Friday, Jan. 10 at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. J. Franklin Young, 316 E. Third St. Let every member make a special effort to be present.

W. M. S. OF CHRISTIAN CHURCH TO MEET

The Women's Missionary Society of the Christian church will meet Thursday at 2:30 with Mrs. Ward Hall, 521 E. Morgan street. A good attendance is desired.

MISS SHAULIS RETURNS TO CARHAGE COLLEGE

Miss Evelyn Shaulis has returned to her studies at Carthage College after spending the holidays with her parents, Atty. and Mrs. J. O. Shaulis.

CIRCLE NO. 4, M. E. AID SOCIETY

Circle No. 4, M. E. Aid Society, will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. Herbert Harms, 504 N. Galena Ave.

CIRCLE NO. 3, M. E. AID SOCIETY

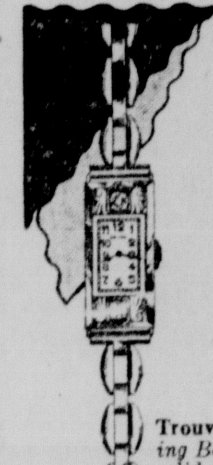
Circle No. 3, M. E. Aid, will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. D. E. Helmick, 111 West Boyd street.

D. D. D. LUB MEETS THIS EVENING

The D. D. D. Bridge Club will meet this evening with Mrs. Robert Seales. (Additional Society on Page 2)



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WHY JOBS ARE SCARE.

Through all of the celebration of high prosperity during the years immediately preceding the unpleasantness of October, 1929, sober watchers at the banquet were conscious of the presence of a grinning death's head. This spectre bore the cumbersome name of "technological unemployment," which was just a nice way of saying that more and more men were being thrown out of work each year by the invention of more efficient machinery.

Right now, of course, we have so much unemployment of the old-fashioned, familiar kind that this more modern variety is being forgotten. But when prosperity returns we shall see it again, and it will be, as it was before, a sobering reminder that our industrial machine is in need of a better balance wheel.

However, a new angle on technological unemployment is given in a recent statement from Prof. W. am B. Bailey, economist of the Travelers Insurance Co. Prof. Bailey makes this point:

"During the last 10 years agriculture has released about 400,000 workers annually, and between three and four million fewer persons live today on farms than 10 years ago. Industry, trade and transportation have been forced to find jobs for all persons, in spite of the alarm raised over technological unemployment in industry."

Prof. Bailey thinks industry has done remarkably well in finding those jobs; and he points out:

"We assume that new inventions have thrown so many persons out of work. If agriculture was caring for the three or four million persons that it has turned to the cities for industry, trade and transportation to look after, this unemployment problem today would be much less severe."

True enough. And not only would conditions in this depression be better; in normal times this "technological unemployment" problem would be about non-existent.

All of this indicates that the problem, in normal times, is primarily not so much an industrial problem as an agricultural one. If agriculture can be restored to its old-time health, the city man will feel the beneficial effects quite as much as the farmer. There will be less competition for jobs. Work will be easier to find. Wages will be higher. Technological unemployment will be just a phrase, and not an evil death's head.

And that, of course shows that the restoration of agriculture is an issue that ought to engage the attention of the industrial sections quite as much as it engages the attention of the corn belt.

QUICK ON THE TRIGGER.

Ordinarily, people have ready praise for a policeman who is quick on the trigger. Whenever a policeman kills a hold-up man he is singled out for especial praise. Usually he gets promoted. Newspapers exhort the force to treat 'em rough and keep the good work moving.

But being quick on the trigger has its disadvantages.

In a big middle-western city the other day a detective was trailing a certain gunman. He saw on the street a man he believed to be his quarry. So he walked up behind him, stuck a gun in the man's back, and said, "I am a policeman—stick 'em up!"

The man whirled about, his hands in his pockets; and the policeman, being quick on the trigger, shot him. The man died instantly. And then it was discovered that he was not the fugitive gunman. He was a perfectly innocent and law-abiding citizen.

These treat-'em rough campaigns usually end in tragedies like that. It does not always pay to shoot first and ask questions later.

FOREST FIRE LOSSES DROP.

Statistics on practically everything show lower totals for this year than for last year, and in most cases these lowered totals are disquieting. But one case has just come to light where the decrease is very gratifying. That is in the figures on the loss from forest fires.

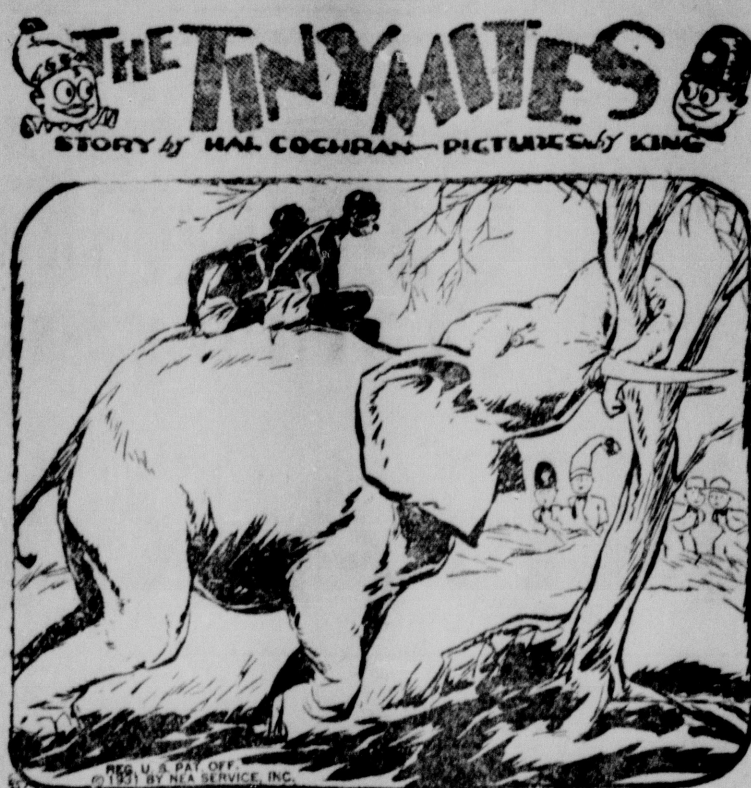
The Forest Service at Washington announces that fire damage to national forest lands this year was held to \$237,370—a reduction of more than 30 per cent from 1929. This reduction was made in spite of the dryness of the weather, which made the fire hazard more dangerous than usual.

We are accustomed to seeing those forest fire figures high in the millions. This great reduction is something over which we can rejoice mightily.

A new motor horn has been invented which makes a sound like a chord on a harp. "For heaven's sake," as the pedestrian might say.

Mussolini, some one notes, has never visited Monte Carlo. Thus spoiling the chance of many a columnist to wisecrack on "Duce's wild."

"You first, Alfonso," as the rebels in Spain are politely saying to their monarch.



(READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE)

The bridge, deep in the forest, was a very pretty sight because 'twas all built by the natives out of logs from great big trees. It stretched across an open space. Said Clowny, "What holds it in place?" And Scouty answered, "Those big logs can hold it up with ease."

The Travel Man said, "Natives work real hard and never stop to chirk. That's why they do all things up right. They know that plan is wise. You'll find it's never any fun to only have a task half done. Results are bound to always come to anyone who tries."

Wee Coppy laughed and swung about. "A lecture's being handed out," said he. "But I don't mind it 'cause I think that's what we need. Whenever there's work that must be done, we always loaf through it in fun. I know that we'd do better work if we would show some speed."

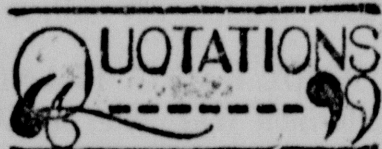
They all piled in their truck again to ride a mile or so. And then they

heard a funny snorting. "What is that?" one Tyny cried. The Travel Man said, "I don't know, but we can find out if we go forward where the snorting came from. Surely something will be spied."

They rode a hundred yards or more and then found out what was in store. A great big elephant stood near the snorting came from him. "On look!" cried Carpy. "If you please, he's helping pull down great big trees. His winding trunk must be real strong, the way he grabs a limb."

And he was absolutely right. The Tynies saw a wondrous sight. The husky looking elephant was strong as he could be. He'd pull and snort some more. The Tynies thought that he was sore, but 'twas his way of doing things. Then, down would come the tree.

(The Tynmites watch natives work on a bridge in the next story.)

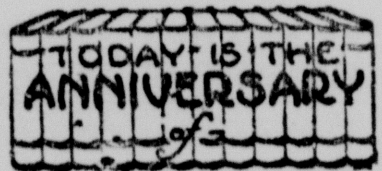


"I have not seen any sign of happiness in all the countries of the west."
—Sir Rabindranath Tagore, Indian poet.

"Most of our rich men rise from modest beginnings."
—John Hays Hammond.

"No, I am unable to tell which came first—the hen or the egg."
—Albert Einstein.

"I have not deviated a hair's breadth—I still believe in prohibition."
—Mable Walker Willebrandt, former assistant United States attorney general, now counsel for a firm selling grape juice easily converted into wine.



PUTNAM'S BIRTH

On Jan. 7, 1718, Israel Putnam, an American soldier, prominent in the French and Indian and Revolutionary wars, was born in Danvers, Mass.

When news of the battle of Lexington reached him while he was plowing on his farm, Putnam left his plow in the field, as had Cinquatus, and mounting a horse, rode to Cambridge in one day, a distance of 68 miles. In May of that year, he led a battalion to Noddie's Island, burned a British schooner and captured a sloop. He later won renown for his bravery in the Battle of Bunker Hill, which was fortified largely on Putnam's advice.

On the evacuation of Boston, Putnam was placed in command of New York, but following his defeat at Brooklyn Heights he was removed from command. He later was restored to the command when he was found guiltless for the defeat. In 1777 he was appointed to the defense of the Highlands on the Hudson.

Daily Health Talk

By DR. MORRIS FISHEIN
Editor, Journal of the American Medical Association, and of Hygeia, the Health Magazine

A person in perfect health should be relatively unaware of his body. As defined by W. R. P. Emerson, the word "health" is generally accepted to mean a condition of the body free from physical disease. It seems doubtful, however, that any human being is at any time absolutely free from pathologic changes in his body.

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OHIO NEWS

Ohio — Mrs. Bertha Balcom and Miss Edna Worrell entertained their circles at a silver tea at the M. E. parsonage last Tuesday evening. The time was spent in sewing and a delicious lunch was served.

Mrs. Suzanne Sisler and Mrs. Edith Salzman gave a miscellaneous show for Miss Minnie Thompson last Tuesday afternoon at the Sisler home. The bride-to-be received many useful and beautiful gifts for her new home. A dainty lunch was served.

Misses Leonore Ioder and Darlene Hardersen gave a kitchen shower for Mrs. Bernice Kreiger Norden at the Ilder home last Tuesday evening. The bride received many gifts of ivory and green enamel ware for her home. A mock wedding furnished amusement, after which the hostesses served a delicious lunch.

Mrs. Emma Johnson entertained her circle at a silver tea at the home of Mrs. Genevieve Watkins Wednesday afternoon. The ladies spent the afternoon sewing and a very appetizing lunch was served.

The next C. D. A. afternoon card party will be held at the club rooms on Thursday afternoon, Jan. 8th. Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Clark attended the annual meeting of the Illinois State Teachers Association held in Springfield last week.

Ralph Telkamp drove up from Decatur last Wednesday, returning home the following day accompanied by his wife and children who had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Conner.

Mrs. Hubert Anderson and little son came home Wednesday from the Princeton hospital.

Mrs. Earl Haas of Van Orin spent the week-end with friends here and attended the Woman's Club meeting Friday evening.

Mrs. M. E. Doran is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Hugh Johnson, and family in Bradford.

Miss Violet Blanchard spent a few days last week with friends in Chenoa.

Mrs. Morris Barkman and daughter Doris spent last Saturday in Peoria.

Miss Marie Walter of Indianapolis was a recent guest of Miss Leonore Ioder.

Mrs. Lizzie Sisler visited her daughter, Mrs. Howard Anderson in Princeton, last week.

Bernard Dunlap who has been visiting his uncle, W. G. Dunlap and family, returned Friday to his home in Taylor Ridge.

Carl Sisler of Davenport spent Christmas with relatives here.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Nothnagle on Wednesday, Dec. 31st.

Ed Fehs and family have moved into their residence recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. George Meurer.

Carl Krahmer was a business caller in Prophetstown Friday.

Mrs. Pearl Pomeroy and Mrs. Mary Inks were New Year's dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Balcom.

Miss Jeanette Neis visited relatives in Chicago last week.

Misses Doris Barkman and Dorothy Jackson spent Wednesday evening in Princeton.

The Ohio Woman's Club met on Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Anna Walter. After the transaction of business, Mrs. Anna Sisler gave a most interesting and instructive talk on "Indian Welfare." Tea and wafers were served, Mrs. Mary Inks pouring, and a social half hour was enjoyed.

A joint installation of officers of Ohio Lodge No. 814 A. F. & A. M. and Friendship Chapter No. 376, O. E. S., was held on New Year's night. The following officers of the chapter were installed with Mrs. Mildred Dunlap as Worthy Installing Officer; Mrs. Pearl Pomeroy, Installing Chaplain, and Mrs. Mary Inks, Installing Marshal. Julius Saltzman, Claude Ruff and Carl Kramer acted as Escorts.

Mrs. Ethel Stevenson—Worthy Matron.

Mrs. Esther Jackson—Secretary.

Mrs. Marie Smith—Treasurer.

Mrs. Bertha Balcom—Conductress.

Mrs. Harriet Albrecht—Associate Conductress.

Mrs. Mabel Ruff—Adah.

Mrs. Edith Saltzman—Ruth.

Mrs. Fann Peterson—Esther.

Mrs. Maude Jackson—Martha.

Mrs. Eva Howard—Electa.

Mrs. Ada Morton—Warden.

Carl Kramer—Sentinel.

Albert Erickson then installed the following officers of Ohio Lodge, A. F. & A. M.:

Carl Kramer—W. M.

L. F. Minkler—S. W.

othy Jackson spent Wednesday evening in Princeton.

The Ohio Woman's Club met on Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Anna Walter. After the transaction of business, Mrs. Anna Sisler gave a most interesting and instructive talk on "Indian Welfare." Tea and wafers were served, Mrs. Mary Inks pouring, and a social half hour was enjoyed.

A joint installation of officers of Ohio Lodge No. 814 A. F. & A. M. and Friendship Chapter No. 376, O. E. S., was held on New Year's night. The following officers of the chapter were installed with Mrs. Mildred Dunlap as Worthy Installing Officer; Mrs. Pearl Pomeroy, Installing Chaplain, and Mrs. Mary Inks, Installing Marshal. Julius Saltzman, Claude Ruff and Carl Kramer acted as Escorts.

Mrs. Ethel Stevenson—Worthy Matron.

Mrs. Esther Jackson—Secretary.

Mrs. Marie Smith—Treasurer.

Mrs. Bertha Balcom—Conductress.

Mrs. Harriet Albrecht—Associate Conductress.

Mrs. Mabel Ruff—Adah.

Mrs. Edith Saltzman—Ruth.

Mrs. Fann Peterson—Esther.

Mrs. Maude Jackson—Martha.

Mrs. Eva Howard—Electa.

Mrs. Ada Morton—Warden.

Carl Kramer—Sentinel.

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H. A. Jackson—Secretary.

C. W. Alm—Chaplain.

C. W. Albrecht—S. D.

V. E. Hopper—J. D.

Merrill Jackson—S. S.

Irvin Weller—J. S.

Albert Erickson—Marshal.

J. L. Pomeroy—Tyler.

An excellent lunch was then served to about eighty members and guests and a social time was enjoyed.

Howard Hammer and family of Buda; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Jackson and daughter Dorothy; and Mrs. Mary Hammer were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Jackson.

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Be not forgetful to entertain strangers, for thereby some have entertained angels unawares.—Hebrews 13:2.

Like many other virtues, hospitality is practiced in its perfection by the poor. If the rich did their share how would the woes of the world be lightened.—Mrs. Kirkland.

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ARMS MEETING FACES MAZE OF TECHNICALITIES

Success, Experts Believe,
Depends on Sticking
To Elementals

By JOSEPH H. BAIRD
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
Washington, Jan. 7.—(UP)—The coming world disarmament conference must hew its way through a maze of technicalities and stick to elementals if it is to succeed.

This is the opinion of informed officials here as they prepare for the grand finale to the decade of preliminary disarmament efforts, which probably will be held in Europe early in 1932. Their view is based on contemplation of the myriad-byways and blind alleys down which the preparatory commission has been led.

The elementals of disarmament, as seen by officials here, embrace restriction of: one, Soldiers and guns; two, Fighting ships, and three, War planes. The draft treaty recently completed by the preparatory conference adheres fairly closely to these essentials. But at the real conference this draft may be abandoned and the brain-fagging task of matching reserve troops, civil aircraft industry, agriculture and everything bearing on national defense may be begun again.

Stand of United States
The United States, it can be predicted with reasonable certainty, will fight to hold the conference discussions to real military and naval armament. Ambassador Hugh Gibson, chief American delegate to the preliminary conferences, expressed his impatience with the thesis that the weather, livestock, and terrain of each country, as these things bear on national defense, must be compared. He termed it "the fog, hog and bog" theory.

Even though the conference sticks to elementals, it will find troubles aplenty. First, it must choose between two methods of gauging armament: the direct method, matching soldier for soldier, gun for gun, or the budgetary method, matching dollar for dollar spent on armament.

The draft treaty provides for the budgetary method. But the United States and several other powers voted against this. They held the only way to compare armament is to stack gun against gun. These powers may oppose the budgetary method in the actual conference, although the State Department has indicated its belief that the two theories may be applied side by side.

Consider Reduction
Granted agreement on a method of disarmament, the conference then will consider: limiting or reducing armies, navies and air forces. Consideration of land armies and armaments will bring up several acute problems. Shall reserves be limited? The draft treaty says no. France, with 622,867 actives and 5,675,561 reserves, says no. Other countries with small reserve forces say yes. Shall countries with extensive factory systems, capable of conversion to wartime production of munitions and poisoned gas have this equipment charged against their armament strength? The answer varies in accordance with the possession of such equipment.

In the naval realm, the Franco-Italian dispute over parity is the most pressing problem, observers believe. Italy holds out for parity, which France is unwilling to grant. France is agreeable to equal strength in the Mediterranean, if she may have additional ships in the Atlantic. Italy replies France can easily transfer warships from the Atlantic to the Mediterranean if the two should fight. This localized question affects the United States, Great Britain and Japan, all of which might have to increase their navies if these two begin a building race.

Point of Friction
Many observers hold the Franco-Italian dispute must be settled before the conference begins—that it is futile to discuss world disarmament until this friction is eased.

The Washington treaty, limiting capital ships among the five great naval powers, and the London agreement of three of them to limit auxiliaries, will be written into the treaty, though the figures may be changed.

There still remains the naval limitation problem of the small nations. They, observers say, do not care how many ships the United States or Great Britain may build. But they are very much concerned over the sea power of neighboring small nations. National prestige is involved.

Observers find that military aviation is such a new arm of fighting, its potentialities so great, its limitations so indefinite, that to limit it is baffling. For years the preparatory commission discussed whether civil planes and pilots, as well as military, should be counted in a nation's air strength. In the draft treaty, they agreed to limit only the horsepower and number of military aircraft. Statesmen admit such limitation is imperfect; that civil planes undoubtedly can be put to military use. Yet no nation, apparently, is willing to block the progress of commercial aviation.

OLD DOCUMENTS FAIL
Bordeaux —(UP)—The Republic of France has just won a long drawn out civil suit against two of its lowly communes who disputed the States ownership of 22,230 acres of worthless sand dunes situated in the two communes. The local authorities brought forth documents dating to the 15th Century, but the Government won its case.

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 7
454.3—WEAF New York—660 (NBC Chain)
6:30—Bonnie Laddies—WOC
6:45—Back of the News—Also WOC
7:15—Varieties, Bugs Baer—Also WOC
7:30—Shilkret Orchest.—Also WOC
8:00—Old Counselor—Also WOC
8:30—Olive Palmer Artists—Also WOC
9:30—Sport Interviews—Also WOC
10:00—Lopez Orchestra—Also WOC
10:30—Albin's Orch.—Also WOC
348.6—WABC New York—860 (CBS Chain)
6:30—Evangeline Adams—Also WJZ
WBBM
6:45—The Vagabonds—WABC
7:00—Topics in Brief—WMAQ
7:30—Toscha Seidel Concert—Also WMAQ
8:00—Fast Freight—Also WBBM
9:00—The Threshold, a Play—Also WMAQ
9:30—Columbia Concert—WABC
394.5—WJZ New York—760 (NBC Chain)
6:00—Amos-Andy—Also WLW

WJZ
6:30—Phil Cook—Also WJZ
7:00—Harry Kogen's Orchestra—Also KYW
7:30—Balalaika Orch.—Also KYW
8:30—Pleasure Hour—Also WJZ
9:30—Wayside Inn—Also WJZ
10:00—Amos 'n' Andy—WMAQ
11:00—Dance Hour—Also KYW
CLEAR CHANNEL STATIONS
293.9—KYW—1020
6:00—Orch.—News
6:30—Orchestra
7:00—Same as WJZ
8:00—Same as WEAF
8:30—Same as WJZ
9:30—Same as WEAF
10:00—News; State St.
10:30—Dance Variety
344.6—WENR—870
6:30—Farm Prog.
6:45—Luke-Mirandy
8:30—Feature Prog.
9:00—Minstrel Show
10:00—WJZ; Feat.
10:30—Comedy; Popular
11:00—Vaud. (3 hours)
344.6—WLS—870
7:00—Variety
7:15—Harmonizers
7:30—Farm Feature
8:00—Orchestra
447.5—WMAQ—670
6:00—Features
6:45—Same as WABC
7:15—Hal O'Flaherty
7:30—Same as WABC
8:00—Musical Prog.
9:00—WABC (1 hour)
10:00—Amos 'n' Andy
10:15—Concert Orch.
10:30—Dan & Sylvia
11:00—Dance Music (3 hours)
423.3—WLW—700
6:15—Jolly Time
6:30—Same as WJZ
6:45—Variety
7:00—Sponsored Program
7:30—Same as WJZ
8:00—Sponsored Prog.
8:30—Same as WJZ
9:30—Bob Newhall
10:00—Variety (1½ hours)
299.8—WOC and WHO—1000
6:00—Same as WEAF
7:00—Star Dust
7:15—WEAF (2½ hours)
10:00—News; WEAF
398.8—WJR—750
6:00—Same as WJZ
6:30—Food Council
6:45—The Brothers
7:00—Same as WJZ
7:30—Song a Minute
8:00—World Tour
8:30—Same as WJZ
10:00—Variety (2 hours)

THURSDAY, JANUARY 8
454.3—WEAF New York—660 (NBC Chain)
6:00—Hymn Sing (30 min.)—Also WOC
7:00—Vallee Orch.—Also WOC
8:00—Birthday Party—Also WOC
8:30—Melody Moments, Tenor—Also WJZ
9:00—B. A. Rolfe Orch.—Also WOC
348.6—WABC New York—860 (CBS Chain)
7:00—Topics in Brief—WMAQ
7:30—H. V. Kaltenborn, News—Also WMAQ
7:45—Story of Time—Also WJZ
8:30—Detective Mystery—Also WBBM
9:00—The Lutheran Period—Also WBBM
394.5—WJZ New York—760 (NBC Chain)
6:00—Amos-Andy—Also WLW
WJZ
The Jesters—Also WLW
6:30—Phil Cook—Also WJZ
6:45—Del Lampe's Orch.—Also WJZ
7:30—To Be Announced—WJZ Chain
8:30—Orchestra Melodies—Also WJZ
8:00—Two Dance Orchestras—Also WJZ
10:00—Slumber Hour—Also WJZ
10:00—Amos 'n' Andy—WMAQ
CLEAR CHANNEL STATIONS
293.9—KYW—1020
6:00—Orch.; Sports
6:30—Orchestras
7:00—Spitalny Orch.
7:30—Sponsored Prog.
8:00—Same as WEAF
8:30—WJZ Program
9:00—Hour from WEAF
10:00—News; State St.
10:30—Dance Variety
344.6—WENR—870
6:00—Orchestras
6:30—Farm Prog.
6:45—Luke-Mirandy (15min.)
8:30—Orchestra
9:00—Romance
10:00—WJZ; Feat.
10:30—Comedy; Popular
344.6—WLS—870
7:00—Family Party
7:30—Concert Orch.
8:00—Singers (30min.)
447.5—WMAQ—670
6:30—Concert Orch.
7:00—Same as WABC
7:15—Dr. Bundeson
7:30—Same as WABC
7:45—Sponsored Prog.
8:30—Musical Prog.
9:00—Sponsored Prog.
9:30—The Foursome
10:00—Amos 'n' Andy
10:15—Sponsored Prog.
10:30—Dan & Sylvia
11:00—Dance (3 hours)
423.3—WLW—700

6:00—Same as WJZ
6:45—Sponsored Prog.
7:00—Los Amigos
7:30—World Tour
8:00—Band Prog.
8:30—Same as WJZ
9:00—The Hall
9:30—Bob Newhall
9:45—Orchestra
10:00—Variety (2½ hours)
299.8—WOC and WHO—1000
6:00—Same as WEAF
6:30—Pianist
6:45—To Be Announced
7:00—Same as WEAF
8:30—World Tour
9:00—Mirth Makers
9:30—Same as WEAF
10:15—Library Talks
10:30—Serenaders
11:00—Orchestra
398.8—WJR—750
6:30—Sponsored Prog.
7:30—Features
7:30—To Be Announced
8:00—Star Dust
8:30—Same as WJZ
9:00—Orchestra
9:30—Police Drama
10:00—Variety (2 hours)



William Linton Andrews, editor of the Leeds (England) Mercury and author of "Haunting Years: Commentaries of A Black Watch Territorial," says:

"I was looking the other day for some notes put aside in a drawer. This was full of old letters, photographs, and autographed menu cards—souvenirs that I have never had the time to sort out again since I bundled them together in haste one August when Britain went to war. 'So occupied, and a little wistful, I came upon a note from one of the earliest colleagues of my working life. I never lost my affection for him but he gained promotion to one town and I to another, and there began the inevitable separation of interests. And then we were just bad correspondents and (you know how it is) fresh interests filled our lives. A little more care and that good and cheerful friendship would not have been lost. How many of these friendships we let slip through our fingers!"

"There were those staunch friends in Paris when I was a journalist student there—especially Louis and Suzanne. I left Paris one bleak and sorrowful day before the romance culminated. Louis sent me one or two letters, tinged with a growing despair. Then we lost touch. 'What became of lively, side-eyed Louis and Suzanne, of the broad, solemn face and the silvery voice? Did they marry? Did good luck come their way? And what did the war do to them?"

"The war; ah, how many friendships slipped through our fingers then! There were men you grew to love. But you and they were never side by side long. Did this chum and that come through safely? It is so hard to find out. 'Those friendships that fade away—with a little more care they might be saved! Go back to your old school or the town where you began your working life, and you are haunted by memories of those eager friendships that carried you through trial and temptation. BUT WHERE ARE THEY NOW? FRIENDSHIPS SLIP AWAY WITH THE YEARS. I FEAR WE LET THEM GO TOO EASILY. EVERY DRAWER FILLED WITH OLD LETTERS IS FULL OF THEIR GHOSTS."

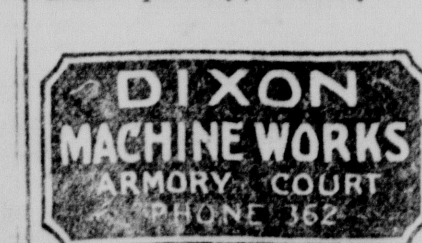
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Here is the revival of Lace in a striking somewhat pancake-like hat with it's only difference from what grandmother might have worn PP in it's tilt. Way back and slightly to the side it goes. A tilt to thrill the frivolous heart of any woman and perfectly suit the most modern dress.

SMART FELT HATS—Paris Inspired Fashions, featuring the Tricorne, Flattering Soft Feathers and New Soft Felts for Misses, or Matron—

\$1.00, \$2.00 and \$3.00

Children's \$3.00 Tams and Bonnets **\$1.00**

BIG SPECIAL!

One Lot of Patterns in Linoleum, also Remnants of Linoleum to close out at—

50c PER SQUARE YARD

\$65 Ladies' Coats **\$16.75**

HERE IS A GREAT GROUP THAT CHALLENGES COMPARISON! There's one grand thing about doing your choosing here. You absolutely know you're getting the utmost for your money. Besides acquiring a splendid coat who's quality and styling is authentic for this Winter—Who's furring is rich and most luxurious. Come and see the quality of the fabric. Note the careful attention to detail—then you will realize why women of Dixon and vicinity will make Geisenheimer's their headquarters for the next couple of weeks. CLOSING OUT THIS LINE OF WOMEN'S COATS UP TO \$65.00.

Girl's Coats
Age 6 to 15

You can take your choice of three assortments in these Girls' Stunning Winter Coats. Handsomely trimmed with new furs. The wool fabrics are new and in the popular shades. SALE PRICE—

\$2.95, \$4.95 and \$6.95

\$5.00 RAIN COATS \$3.95

Ladies' and Misses' Brand New Rain Coats and Leatherette Coats. SALE PRICE—

Children's New Wash Dresses—Lovely New Prints, Percales and Broadcloth. Age 2 to 14. Formerly sold from \$1.00 to \$3.00. SALE PRICE—

79c, \$1.19, \$1.69 and \$2.69

Children's Silk Dresses
Age 7 to 14

Here is a Splendid Lot of Children's New Silk Dresses. A Good Assortment of Colors, to \$8.00 Value.

SALE PRICE

\$3.95

Boy's Wool Suits

We have thrown the entire lot out at sale price! They are regular \$1.50 to \$3.00. SALE PRICE—

\$1.19, \$1.69 and \$2.69

PRICES CRUSHED

Rayon Bed Spreads

A big assortment of lovely new colors. Every minute of this sale is crammed with real values. Our regular \$5.00 lovely Rayon Bed Spreads.

SALE PRICE

\$2.95

RUGS AT PRICES
YOU WILL GLADLY PAY

27 x 54 BRAND NEW BRUSSELS RUGS—**\$1.89**

27 x 48 GOOD LOOKING KIMAT RUGS—**\$1.39**

8 1/2 x 10 1/2 and 9 x 12 VERY NEW BRUSSELS RUGS—**\$2.89**

27 x 54 VELVET and AXMINSTER RUGS—**\$19.00**

Lovely colors

9 x 12 VELVET and AXMINSTER BEAUTIFUL ROOM SIZE RUGS—**\$29.00**

12 1/2 x 15 BRUSSELS STAIR CARPET—**89c**

15 1/2 VELVET STAIR CARPET—**\$1.19**

Yd. \$2.25 VELVET STAIR CARPET—**\$1.49**

WASH RUGS
YOUR CHOICE OF THIS BIG LOT OF WASH RUGS

27 x 54 WASH RUGS—**85c**

20 x 34 CHIFFON RUGS—**85c**

24 x 48 PLAIN WASH RUGS—**85c**

24 x 26 LIGHTNING RUGS—**85c**

RUGS AT SALE PRICES

9 x 12 SILVER SEAL RUGS—Lovely new colors—**\$5.95**

6 x 9 SANDURA RUGS—Bright new colors. Come in and see them, at—**\$3.95**

3 x 6 SANDURA RUGS—Here you will find a splendid small rug—**\$1.75**

ANOTHER BIG LOT OF CURTAINS

WHILE THEY LAST—

One Good Lot of ODD NET CURTAINS—**50c**

Sale price, each—**50c**

One Lot of NET and RUFFLE CURTAINS—**50c**

Closing out at—

50c

50c FREE

50c RUFFLE CURTAINS—**\$1.00**

50c NET TAILORED CURTAINS—**\$2.35**

50c NET TAILORED CURTAINS—**\$1.35**

50c FRINGED NET CURTAINS—**\$1.00**

50c FRINGED NET CURTAINS—**\$1.50**

50c FRINGED NET CURTAINS—**\$2.50**

A SMASHING ^{LET GO} OF THE ENTIRE WINTER STOCK FOR 10 MASTER SELLING DAYS, BEGINNING FRIDAY, JANUARY the 9th, at 9:00 A. M. Sharp

Friday morning at 9 A. M. your hour of action comes. Everything is out and ready, the long days of preparation are over, the whole city and vicinity are now thoroughly aroused to what is about to happen. People have been planning, talking about it. The far-reaching plans of this master sale have stirred the people's minds until a fine spirit of expectancy and enthusiasm is in the air. For the public has learned to expect big things from GEISENHEIMER'S and this is the biggest effort we have ever made in our years of business in Dixon.

We feel a deep moral obligation to even better their expectations. A good old-fashioned selling event at prices that defy competition. A selling event conceived in sincerity, definite in purpose and waged with the courage and determination characteristic of the grand old institution. Indeed, huge tasks are not to be completed in a "jiffy" and certainly this self-imposed task of throwing the entire winter stock out at sale price in such a short time is a herculean one. Vast inroads will be made on this elegant stock during the next few days—so come early with expectations running high. You will find real thrillers that will startle the most economical. Everything in the big store priced and marked for quick selling. Just a few of the thousands of wonderful bargains are listed here.

WIDE OF BARGAINS

FOR 10 BIG DAYS

Part Wool Blankets
OUT THEY GO AT

\$2.39

Come to this sale of lovely new Double Cotton Blankets and Part Wool Bed Size Blankets. They are all on sale!

Cretones and Curtain Drapes

5c Felt Nets and Marquisettes—**25c**

Sale Price

9c Nets and Fancy Marquisettes—**39c**

At

1.35 50-Inch Draperies—**85c**

Sale Price, yard

1.25 50-Inch Draperies—**\$1.19**

Sale Price, yard

3.00 New 50-Inch Draperies—Every new shade and color, yard **\$1.69**

5c Brand New Cretonnes—**25c**

At

9c Elegant New Cretonnes—**39c**

At

5c Good Quality New Cretonnes—**18c**

At

5c Beautiful New Cretonnes—**50c**

Dinner Ware

1-Piece White Semi-Porcelain Dinner Sets, Sale Price **\$2.39**

1-Piece White Semi-Porcelain Dinner Set, Sale Price **\$1.89**

3-Piece Good Looking Blue Tea Set, Sale Price **\$2.95**

Patterns in Discounted Numbers. You can take your choice of odd pieces from sets, at—

Half Price

50c FREE

This Is Absolutely Free

There's no strings attached to this offer. You don't need to spend another cent if you don't wish to—just bring this coupon to the store and use it as cash—50 of these coupons will be accepted from adults Friday morning beginning at 9 A. M.

PRICES CRUSHED ON WOMEN'S FROCKS

\$30 Ladies' Silk Dresses **\$10.75**

Women's and Misses' New Silk Frocks

This lovely lot of elegant dresses formerly sold up to \$30.00 and you will say so when you see them! Every important new style, color and fabric included in these newest stunningly styled frocks. If we asked you to compare these striking frocks with creations at much higher price you would find no difference as to quality, fashioning and design. That gives you an idea of the splendid values you're getting here! Dresses for street, business or afternoon wear. Beautiful new Plain and Printed Silks, all individually styled to modes of 1931 with flares, pleats, button and lace trimming—with tunics, fur, cowl neck lines and definitely different sleeves. Beautiful shades.

\$15 Ladies' Silk Dresses **\$4.75**

WOMEN'S AND MISSES' SMART SILK FROCKS

You'll wonder how we can afford to do it—Dresses of such lovely quality and smart style at \$4.75. We'll admit it is a very unusual group. Crepes, Georgettes and Travel Prints in scores of rich colorings. You can take your choice of Silk Dresses!

CLOSING OUT THIS LINE
25 Dozen
BLEACHED SHEETS
81 x 90

Here is a splendid quality and value. Extra fine first quality 81x90 inch, Bleached Seamlless Sheets. A good regular \$1.25 value. SALE PRICE—

89c

\$15 Pendleton Wool Blankets **\$9.65**

Come to this marvelous sale of Pendleton Virgin Wool Blankets. These lovely blankets are manufactured in the far west of the finest selected sheep wool. Beautiful colorings with saten bound edge.

SINGLE COTTON BLANKET

This is a good large bed size. A splendid cotton blanket. Size 70x50. Your choice of the lot—

79c

\$49.50 LADIES' SILK FROCKS **\$16.75**

Frocks to wear if you're seeking romance—and others to wear if you have found it. Values almost unbelievable in this important offering of quality daytime frocks.

Right in line with the fashion that say, bright silk crepes under black coats, if you're looking for the most fashion at the lowest—here is your answer. The right silhouette with the high waist line, longer skirt, tunic effects. The same styles will be offered in novelty velvets and velvet and lace for day-time. Daytime dresses come in the new and popular colors for right now. Slim, graceful lines with a slight flare. You can take your choice of these lovely frocks up to \$49.50 at closing-out price.

\$12.50 LADIES' SILK DRESSES **\$2.75**

Be glad your wardrobe is ready for new clothes! You couldn't find a better time to pick them than here and now! Dresses or Pastel or Printed Silks—all ready for you Friday morning at 9 A. M. sharp. Wouldn't you say with us that this is a remarkable event! Closing out this entire lot!

Silks, Wool and Wash DRESS GOODS

\$1.25 Rayons crepe and fancy new colors **79c**

\$1.25 Radium and slip satins, etc., at yd. **79c**

\$2.00 Crepe de Chine. You will find a good selection in this big lot **\$1.29**

at per yd.

\$1.25 brand new all wool Challies. Sale price, per yd. **89c**

\$5.00 54 in. Wool Dress Goods. One splendid lot. Different colors. **\$1.85**

Closing out at

\$2.50 and **\$3.00** Wool Dress Goods. 36 in. to 54 in. wide. Good colors. **89c**

at per yd.

Store Closed Thursday

SPECIALS

\$15 PARTY OR EVENING DRESSES **\$6.75**

High Waist, Georgette and Light Colored Silk Crepe. Sale price—

\$6.75

EVENING DRESSES

Beautiful Creations from the heart of film-land. California Evening Dresses. Oriental High Waist Creations, Light Georgettes and Crepes. Sale price—

\$12.45

SPECIALS

Wash Frocks
Up to \$2.50.

New Princess and Basque Styles. Shirtwaist effects new sleeves! A superb selection of dresses, featuring all the new fashionable points—the high waist lines, the elbow and cape sleeves (or sleeveless if you wish). All guaranteed fast colors, in sizes 14 to 20—36 to 44—46 to 52—at such very low prices you will want several frocks—

79c and \$1.69

\$2.50 LADIES' SMOCKS \$1.69

Children's Very New Tan Cotton and Lisle Mixed Stockings. Sale Price **18c**

Ladies' Brand New First Quality Silk and Wool Hosiery. Sale Price **89c**

A. L. GEISENHEIMER & CO. DIXON, Illinois

SPORTS OF ALL SORTS

SHARKEY-YOUNG STRIBLING BOUT IN CHICAGO SEEN

New York Commission's Action Practically Assures Battle

By HERBERT W. BARKER
Associated Press Sports Writer
New York, Jan. 7.—(AP)—Chicago, it appears, owes the New York State Athletic Commission a rising vote of thanks. The Commission, by stripping the heavyweight title from Max Schmeling, virtually has assured a title match between Schmeling and W. L. (Young) Stribling in Chicago next June.

Nor is that all the Commission's action accomplished. If left, or so it would appear, Jack Sharkey in the role of "outstanding contender" in New York state but with no one in sight for him to fight.

It was understood Chicago held the inside track for the title bout and would get it.

Nate Lewis, Chicago promoter, several days ago offered Schmeling \$500,000 to meet Stribling with the title at stake and, at the moment at least, there seems no reason why the Teuton slugger should not accept. As for Stribling, he already has come to terms with Lewis.

New York Is Out
As the situation stood today, it would take a complete about-face on the part of the state commission to save the bout for New York and there appears no prospect of that.

The boxing solons declared the heavyweight throne vacant when Jacobs, on Schmeling's behalf, declined to sign immediately for a return bout with Sharkey. Jacobs offered to sign Schmeling to a contract calling upon him to meet the winner of the Sharkey-Stribling match or against Sharkey if Stribling declined to meet the Boston sailor.

The commission has insisted that Sharkey, having beaten Stribling once, should not be called upon to meet him again, yet, after declaring the title vacant, the solons announced they would accept as champion the winner of a match between Stribling and Sharkey.

N. B. A. IS WILLING
Chicago, Jan. 7.—(AP)—The National Boxing Association will not stand in the way of a heavyweight championship fight between Max Schmeling and W. L. (Young) Stribling in Chicago or any other state within its jurisdiction if held this summer, President John V. Clinkinham intimated today.

Although the N. B. A., parent body of professional boxing and wrestling in 34 states, is polling its members to decide if it should declare Schmeling's title vacated, General Clinkinham said a period of grace undoubtedly would be granted. Ten state commissions already have answered the poll, eight of them voting to vacate the throne and the two others voting for 30 and 90 days' grace.

If the championship match is held at Soldier Field, Chicago, it may be the first 15 round battle since boxing became legalized in the state. The Illinois State Athletic Commission, headed by General Clinkinham, today had a bill drafted for presentation to the state legislature designating to increase the limit on championship bouts from 10 to 15 rounds and was confident of its passage.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

By the Associated Press.
Indianapolis. — Frankie Hughes, Kenosha, Wis., outpointed Roy Mitchell, Centralia, Ill. (6); Peter Mike, New York, and Billy Hoon, Rock Island, Ill., drew (8).

Former Knox Grid Star Will Return

Galesburg, Ill., Jan. 7.—(AP)—Bill Senn, one of the immortals of Knox College football and a star on the professional gridiron, is going back to college.

Senn, who quit in his senior year to play professional football, enrolled again at Knox yesterday to finish his final year's work and to receive his degree.

One of Senn's greatest football feats at Knox name during the game with Coe College in 1924 when he intercepted a forward pass behind his own goal line and sprinted 104 yards to a touchdown.

Battle Of Tresses Resumed This Eve

Chicago, Jan. 7.—(AP)—The battle of the tresses, long and short, will be resumed at the Broadway Army tonight when the House of David men clash with the Taylor Trunk Girls of Chicago.

The girls, with short bobs, and the men with long tresses, started their unique basketball series last season. They played four games and each won two. So close were the contests that the girls scored a total of 68 points while the men tallied 70.

Tonight's game, the rubber of the series, will be a preliminary to the American League game between the Visitation.

Letter Heads, Bill Heads, Envelopes at The B. F. Shaw Printing Co., Dixon, Ill.

Inside Stuff—A Basketball Huddle



Curious to know what transpired inside a huddle of basketball players, a photographer strapped his camera to the back of an ant and dispatched that industrious individual into their midst. The result is pictured above. This is the West Allis, Wis., high school quintet receiving a two-fingered signal, which means 'you tip the ball to me and I'll shoot,' or some other such strategic move.

MICHIGAN HAS CONTENDER FOR BIG TEN TITLE

Produced A Brilliant Victory Over Purdue Last Eve

Chicago, Jan. 7.—(AP)—Suspensions of Big Ten basketball fans have been verified—Michigan has a title-contender again.

Led by a Hoosier sophomore, Raymond Altenhof, of Gary, the Wolverines opened their 1931 championship drive at Ann Arbor last night by turning back Purdue, defending titleholder, 29 to 22, in a brilliant battle.

While the champions attempted to bottle up Norman Daniels, Michigan's widely advertised scoring ace, Altenhof shattered their defense by scoring four field goals and three free throws for 11 points. Fast, alert and raring, the blonde Hoosier was all over the floor and off it for points when Purdue guards shot after Daniels. Then when the defense tightened around him, Altenhof and his mates fed the leather to Daniels who came through with three field goals and as many more charity tosses for nine big bouts.

Johnny Wooden, Purdue's running guard and ace, broke through the Michigan defense for three field goals and helped the Boilermakers draw up to within two points of a tie with but three minutes to play, only to fail during an all-Michigan finish.

Purdue's defeat encouraged the other Big Ten teams who failed to stop the Boilermakers during their romp last season.

Chicago, long an underdog in Big Ten basketball as well as in football, furnished a big surprise along with Michigan last night by defeating Marquette, conqueror of Wisconsin, 24 to 20, at Milwaukee. Chicago led from start to finish.

Ohio State closed its pre-conference campaign in defeat, falling before Notre Dame, 24 to 27. The Buckeyes led up until the last five minutes when Bill Newbold, Notre Dame forward, scored three field goals.

Activity along the Big Ten championship front will not be renewed until Saturday night when every team will get into action, Wisconsin at Ohio State, Chicago at In-

Carideo Denies He Will Wed Actress

New York, Jan. 7.—(UP)—Frank Carideo, All-American quarterback of the 1930 Notre Dame football team, today found himself in the category of New York's city hall heroes that includes Arctic explorers, channel swimmers and trans-Atlantic fliers.

He was received at the city hall yesterday afternoon by Mayor James J. Walker and in the evening was the guest of honor at a dinner given by 650 citizens of Mount Vernon, Frank's home town.

At the city hall reception, Carideo, as a representative of the Notre Dame team, received from Mayor Walker the Albert Russell Erasmie award, a large cup, emblematic of the national football championship. The Erasmie trophy was voted to the South Bend eleven for the second consecutive year.

Knute Rockne, the veteran Notre Dame coach, shared the city hall honors with his star football pupil. Walker presented him with a scroll extolling his high standards of sportsmanship and proclaiming that he had set up "the noble idea of victory with honor."

Mayor Walker also spoke at the dinner as did Mayor Berg of Mount Vernon. A committee of Mount Vernon citizens presented Carideo with a check for \$1,000, which he turned over to his father and mother after briefly thanking his "friends."

Wrestlers Invade Chicago For Bouts

Chicago, Jan. 7.—(UP)—The nation wide wrestling renaissance is at its height in Chicago and the "nilarious hippodromers" are planning a busy winter. Recent wrestling bouts have attracted huge crowds and several groups of promoters are abandoning boxing for the mat sport.

Two of the current "world heavyweight champions" are billed for appearances here shortly. Don George, who claims the title by virtue of a victory over Gus Sonnenberg, will meet Jack Wagner of Providence, R. I. Friday at the Coliseum. Jim London, N. B. A. candidate for the crown, will wrestle Matros Kirilenko of Russia at 202nd Coast Artillery Armory, Monday.

Tags for sale. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

WRESTLING HAS BECOME THREAT TO BOX FIGHTS

Success Of Mat Bouts In New York Surprised Experts

BY HENRY McLEMORE

New York, Jan. 7.—(UP)—Because the public is at last convinced that there is nothing more pleasing to the eye or gratifying to the ear than the sight and sound of a 250-pound man doing a tap dance with his head, wrestling has become something of a menace to boxing in New York.

The mat game has been doing right well in the smaller clubs for some time, but it took the London-Holban championship match in Madison Square Garden a week or so ago to put the old scare into the boxing business and while more than 20,000 customers watched the struggle, Mons. Jacques Curley counted the \$44,000-plus they paid to see London retain his crown.

So anxious were the fans to see the match that they staged a small riot in the lobby when informed that all the tickets were gone.

Many Drop Fighters
Rumors now have it that Madison Square Garden will take official recognition of Mons. Curley, the Tex Rickard of the collar and elbow game, and grant him a week's date for his wrestling shows. Many of the smaller fight clubs already have dropped the fighters from their schedules in favor of the wrestlers.

Just why the mat game has leaped into such sudden prominence is hard to explain, inasmuch as the boys are still putting on the same sort of shows that were staged in almost strict privacy a year ago. They are still making those horrible faces, those soul-rending cries of anguish, and still flinging one another into someone's lap out in the fourth row ringside.

Neither has the old belief vanished that wrestlers do a little advance scheming. Many of the customers still insist the boys hold a dress rehearsal a few days before each match. Maybe they do, but nobody seems to mind just so long as the matches are next door neighbors to assault and battery.

Good Philosophy
This would seem to be good philosophy, for no matter how long the boys rehearse, if any, when one of them is dropped head first from a height of six feet he bounces a good, upright bounce and sustains a genuine, old-fashioned, headache.

When a 250-pound giant ties you into such a knot so that all you need to be a pretzel is a little salt, it hurts plenty, no matter how many times he has promised in advance to be careful. Good intentions never replaced an arm or leg.

Another of wrestling's attractions is that the fans are given plenty of championship bouts, unlike boxing champions who condescend to come out of hibernation but once every six months or so.

Americans Become Basement Dwellers

Chicago, Jan. 7.—(UP)—Since prohibition, Americans are becoming more and more a race of "basement-dwellers," said Ray Sotzley, Detroit, at a conference here of officials of the plumbing and heating industries.

Many home owners who entertain frequently are having their basements improved with heating plants and are holding their parties there said Spitzley, because it is safer to hold them there than in the drawing rooms.

Hostesses, he said, have grown weary of having their guests wreck their living room and many of them have outfitted their basements to be "as attractive as the modern speakeasy."

POLECAT MAKES PET

Lynn, Mass.—(UP)—A polecat makes an excellent house pet, according to Mrs. Maude L. Beale, who has one for four months. The petcat, named "Peter Rover," was captured near Mrs. Beale's Waldoboro, Me., summer home when only a few weeks old.

LEGISLATION TO SPEED JUSTICE IS RECOMMENDED

John P. Devine One Of Commission Making Suggestions

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 7.—(AP)—Designed to eliminate doctrinal and rigid restrictions which are "no longer helpful but constitute definite barriers in the way of orderly and efficient procedure" in both the criminal and civil courts, a program of legislative recommendations for modernizing Illinois court practices was submitted to Governor Louis L. Emerson today by the Illinois and Cook county advisory councils.

Major recommendations include proposals to abolish as far as possible set terms of court, to simplify informations and indictments, to take the judgment of law out of the hands, and to reduce the number of peremptory challenges in criminal cases.

In advocating the changes, the councils pointed out that many provisions in the present constitution and statutes were written before the day of rapid transportation and as safeguards for a different social order. The report set forth that such changes as are recommended would tend to speed-up the administration of justice without infringing on the rights of any person before the courts.

To Speed Service
The primary recommendation of the groups, which worked jointly on the report, has to do with terms of courts and return of summons.

In connection with this subject, the councils suggested that the law be changed to make every summons returnable ten days after its service rather than the first day of the next term and that each defendant be required to plead or answer within fifteen days of service upon him unless additional time is allowed by the court.

Further recommendations on the subject were: "That where service is had by publication, each defendant shall be required to answer within fifteen days after completion of such service; that as far as the constitution will permit, terms of court shall be abolished; that there shall be continuous sessions of court, except that adjournments may be taken from time to time as convenience or necessity requires; that judgments and orders and decrees shall become final after thirty days from date of entry, unless a motion to vacate, set aside, or modify the same has been made; and that bills of exception and certificates of evidence may be signed within such time as shall be fixed by the court when a prayer for appeal is entered."

Simplified Indictments
To eliminate mistrials because of minor technical faults in indictments, the councils recommended that the law be amended so that an indictment need set forth only the major allegations concerning a crime. This brief summary would be by bill of particulars upon request of the defendant.

Contending that the system whereby juries judges of the law as well as a survival of an early American expedient to overcome prejudices of pro-British judges and has outgrown its usefulness, the councils recommended that this statutory provision ionnaricis g.b.opiLl.ti ulfzOSH—in criminal procedure be eliminated.

In the judgment of the councils, the law relating to peremptory challenges in criminal cases should be changed so that in the case of offenses punishable by death or life imprisonment, where there is but one defendant, the number of challenges shall be ten in the case of one defendant with the addition of two for each additional defendant. Likewise for all other offenses, they recommend that the number be six in the case of one defendant.

For all other offenses involving imprisonment in excess of 18 months, they recommend that the number of peremptory challenges be ten in the case of one defendant with the addition of two for each additional defendant. Likewise for all other offenses, they recommend that the number be six in the case of one defendant.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE CITY NATIONAL BANK

of Dixon, in the State of Illinois, at the close of business on December 31, 1930.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$1,392,516.04
Overdrafts	133.46
United States Government securities owned	142,995.17
Other bonds, stocks, and securities owned	1,113,795.36
Banking house, \$163,274.86. Furniture and fixtures, \$9,012.93.	174,287.79
Real estate owned other than banking house	53,197.11
Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	119,924.68
Cash and due from banks	264,537.50
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	1,250.00
Total	\$3,264,638.11

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$100,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided profits—net	136,778.83
Circulating notes outstanding	25,000.00
Due to banks, including certified and cashiers' checks outstanding	4,102.75
Demand deposits	802,047.11
Time deposits	2,096,708.37
Total	\$3,264,638.11

State of Illinois, County of Lee, ss:
I, John L. Davies, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

John L. Davies, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of January, 1931.
R. L. Warner, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
W. C. DUNKER
H. C. WARREN
A. H. BOSWORTH
Dixon, Ill.

Cardinal Boss "At Home"



"Down in Old Missouri" there is a pretty little St. Louis Cardinal fan who swears by Gabby Street, Redbird manager. She is three-year-old Sally Street, pictured above in the arms of her daddy, the man who piloted the Cards to a National League championship last fall. The flannel shirt worn by the baseball veteran is characteristic of him these days as he cleans house, paints, and fixes up the home at Joplin, Mo.

defendant with an additional challenge for each additional defendant.

Other Suggestions
Rewording of the section of the criminal code providing that a cause for challenge in murder trials shall be that a ta'sman is opposed to capital punishment was also advocated by the councils. They pointed out that this provision should be restricted to the use of the state as was originally intended.

The councils recommended that the state practice act be amended so that the courts will be given the power to dismiss cases for want of prosecution upon preliminary call rather than waiting until the case is reached for trial.

Legislation creating a permanent office of public defender to represent poor people in Cook county was another recommendation of the councils.

Suggestions for re-classification of crimes and re-adjustment of penalties was contained in the report for study by the legislature.

The report also requested that the State Judicial advisory council and the Cook county advisory council be made permanent bodies and that similar councils be established in all counties having 500,000 or more population.

Members of the Judicial Advisory Council of Illinois are: Andrew S. Cuthbertson, Chairman; John D. Black, Vice-Chairman; David I. Swanson, Secretary; James J. Barbour, Thomas J. Coughney, John P. Devine, Michael L. Igoe, W. S. Jewell, Norman L. Jones, Roger F. Little, Frank A. McCarthy, Victor P. Mich-

Edward D. Shortell, June C. Smith and Franklin L. Velde.

The Judicial Advisory Council of Cook county is composed of Frederick R. DeYoung, Chairman; Denis E. Sullivan, Vice-Chairman; Amos C. Miller, Secretary; Harry M. Fisher and John J. Healy.

POLO NEWS NOTES

POLO—James Devaney returned home Monday from Reading, Kansas, where he spent the past two weeks with relatives.

Miss Elizabeth Callahan, R. N., of Dixon, is assisting in caring for B. F. McMahon who is ill.

J. E. Morden and Dal'as Davison transacted business in Coleta Monday.

Miss Hannah Hackett was home from Sterling over the week-end.

T. G. Smith Civil War veteran, celebrated his 90th birthday at his home at 705 W. Mason Street, Saturday, Jan. 3rd. Those present to help him celebrate the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spear and daughter, Hazel Nelle of Polo, Mr. and Mrs. George Thornstensen and son Wayne of Rockford, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith and family from

WILBUR OPPOSES TARIFF ON OIL AS OF NO VALUE

Secretary Says Proposed Levy Would Work Harm For Industry

BY DON J. KIRKLEY
Washington, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Secretary Wilbur today declared himself against a tariff on oil.

Such a tariff, as proposed from time to time by some of the leading producers and recently by E. B. Reeser, president of the American Petroleum Institute, would be of little value to the small producer, the secretary asserted.

"The chief result," he said, "would be that the big companies, which now have many shut in and not in operation, would open them up, adding to the production. Overproduction is the basic ill of the industry."

"Besides this," he added, "our imports of petroleum are negligible forming only about 10 per cent of the production. Our exports account for 15 per cent of the total production."

The Secretary, who is Chairman of the Federal Oil Conservation Board, said in his opinion America should import most of its oil, and save its own supply for some future day.

Should Conserve Supply
"In the future," he asserted, "the country with the oil will dominate civilization. In it will be centered the wealth. America must conserve her supply."

Utilization of oil fields, if adopted several years ago, he said, would have solved many of the problems of the industry.

Governors of the leading producing states have been called to meet in Washington, January 15 by Governors Holloway of Oklahoma and Reed of Kansas, to seek relief from the industry. Governors of Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas, Colorado, Wyoming, New Mexico, Montana and California have been invited.

Although the Oil Conservation Board intends to assist the governors wherever possible, Wilbur pointed out it lacked power to take authoritative steps. He called attention to the action of the "same governors" at the Colorado Springs oil conference called by President Hoover in June, 1929, in rejecting his proposal for an agreement between the states on strict enforcement of conservation.

"The Governors will be reminded of that when they assemble," Wilbur said.

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Chicago —(UP)—As a result of successful re-broadcasting of two-way radio communication between airplanes and the ground during the National Air Races here in August, the Federal Radio Commission has granted two portable "relay broadcasting" licenses to the National Broadcasting Company. The 50-watt portable may be moved about as required.

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Loans and discounts	\$1,290,200.40
Overdrafts	75.34
United States Government securities owned	295,550.10
Other bonds, stocks and securities owned	993,708.10
Banking house, \$75,000.00	75,000.00
Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	112,371.84
Cash and due from banks	235,724.40
Outside checks and other cash items	2,524.34
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	5,000.00
Total	\$3,010,154.69

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$100,000.00
Surplus	150,000.00
Undivided profits—net	120,862.11
Reserves for dividends, contingencies, etc.	10,000.00
Circulating notes outstanding	100,000.00
Due to banks, including certified and cashiers' checks outstanding	10,210.21
Demand deposits	824,249.30
Time deposits	1,705,033.01
Total	\$3,010,154.69

State of Illinois, County of Lee, ss:
I, L. L. Wilhelm, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

L. L. WILHELM, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of January, 1931.
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Correct—Attest:
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E. H. RICKARD
WM. E. TREIN,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF HARMON STATE BANK

located at Harmon, State of Illinois, at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1930, as made to the Auditor of Public Accounts of the State of Illinois, pursuant to law.

RESOURCES	
Cash, Other Cash Resources and Due from Banks (1-2-3)	\$11,375.73
Other Bonds and Securities (5)	500.00
Other Loans (6b)	29,106.25
Loans on Real Estate (6c)	225,000.00
Overdrafts (7)	27.40
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures (9)	4,700.00
Total Resources	\$45,934.98

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock (1)	\$15,000.00
Surplus (2)	1,600.00
Undivided Profits (Net) (3)	404.02
Demand Deposits (5a)	27,885.93
Other Liabilities	945.00
Total Liabilities	\$45,934.98

I, W. H. Kugler, Cashier of the Harmon State Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that the items and amounts shown above correspond with the items and amounts shown in the report made to the Auditor of Public Accounts, State of Illinois, pursuant to law.

W. H. KUGLER, Cashier.
State of Illinois, County of Lee, ss:
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of January, 1931.
Lillis R. Kugler, Notary Public

JOFFRE GIVEN FINAL TRIBUTE AMID SPLENDOR

Princes, Statesmen, Generals Privates In Procession

By RICHARD McMILLAN
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
Paris, Jan. 7.—(UP)—France mourned her "savior," Marshal Joffre, with all the splendor due one of the generation's outstanding heroes as the old soldier's funeral procession passed through the streets of Paris from Notre Dame Cathedral to the Invalides today.

Joffre's body was placed in a circular sarcophagus inside a square tent, draped with black and violet, at the Invalides. Battle flags were arranged in the formation of mounting guard. A Napoleonic bronze stood in each of the four corners around the Marshal's resting place.

The three remaining Marshals of France, Henri Petain, Hubert Lyautey and Louis Franchet d'Esperey, with United States Ambassador Walter E. Edge, bore the Marshal's funeral pall. Joffre's body will remain at the Invalides until a mausoleum is constructed on his country estate near Paris.

Princes, generals and statesmen whose names are famous throughout the world marched in the procession with maimed privates who served Joffre in the trenches. The Marshal's body was carried on a gun carriage while ex-soldiers and even women who lost relatives in the world war knelt in pious tribute. A million persons lined the route followed by the Marshal's cortege in its journey across the city. Many had stood silently for hours waiting for the procession to start.

Mass In Cathedral
Requiem mass was celebrated at 9:02 a. m. at Notre Dame cathedral, where Joffre's body had remained during the night. Inside the cathedral, before the historic altar where such scenes as Napoleon's own crowning had been enacted, a select congregation of diplomats, soldiers and statesmen gathered. The walls were draped with black and the gloom of the famous edifice was pierced by the light of a thousand candles.

The Marshal's widow sat between her daughter, Madame Laffite, and Gen. Issaly. During the ceremony Joffre's charger stood at the cathedral doors, covered with a pall and with the saddle stirrups reversed. The funeral procession left Notre Dame and passed slowly along the Rue de Rivoli to the Place de la Concorde. It then turned into the Champs Elysees and proceeded to the Invalides, where maimed war veterans sat in the tribunes and heard Minister Barthou eulogize their former chief.

Love for Hero Seen

The love and reverence of France for her heroes, evidenced in the funeral of Marshal Joffre, was seen again in the streets of Paris today. Frenchmen of all ranks stood bareheaded as they paid final tribute to the Hero of the Marne. Many in the crowd wept without restraint as the funeral procession passed.

Most of the kings and presidents of the world were represented. Ambassador Edge and Gen. Ford, American Military Attache, represented the United States. Others in the procession were Prince Leopold of Belgium; Gen. Blom and a detachment of Czechoslovakian troops; Lord Mayor of London, Sir William Phoebe Neal, stately in black and gold robes worn only on rare occasions, and accompanied by sword and mace bearers; British Field Marshal Lord Allenby; Gen. Marshal Sir George Milne; Gen. Sidney Clive, Admiral of the Fleet Lord Wester Wemyss; Vice Admiral Dreyer; Marshal of the Royal Air Force Lord Trenchard; Marshal Sir John Salmond.

A band from the Cold Stream Guards accompanied the British Guards. A detachment of 24 American officers marched between the Belgian and British troops. A detachment from the "Old Contemptibles," the British regulars who fought with Joffre in 1914, also was in line.

Lewis Reverses Stand On League

Tucson, Ariz., Jan. 7.—(UP)—The League of Nations for which he fought a decade ago when he was whip of the Senate during President Wilson's administrations, was vigorously renounced by James Hamilton Lewis, Senator-elect of Illinois, in a speech in which he characterized both the World Court and the Kellogg peace pact as "useless."

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Hoover's Strength In State Apparently Strengthened

By PAUL R. MALLON
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
Washington, Jan. 7.—(UP)—President Hoover has emerged from a political crisis in New York with his party leadership there apparently more secure than before.

A long and bitter conflict over appointment of a successor to Chas. H. Tuttle as District Attorney in the nation's largest city, will be ended today when Mr. Hoover submits to the Senate the name of George Z. Medalle as a compromise nominee. The post has been vacant six months with the factions unable to agree.

Most of the Hoover leaders and the regular Republicans are mobilized by the selection, although each wanted its own candidate so strongly that for a long time a party split seemed inevitable. The original Hoover wing wanted Alan Fox, while the other faction was as strenuously active in behalf of its candidate, Keyes Winter.

The fight had developed to a point where threats of political reprisal were being made against the President, unless he chose to side with one faction or the other. Such a split would have been considered serious to Mr. Hoover's chances of renomination in 1932. For not only does New York control 96 delegates to the party's national convention, but its leaders have strong influence elsewhere.

Realizing the importance of the situation personally, during the past few weeks nearly every leader involved in the dispute has been a guest at the White House dinner table or at the executive offices. Numerous plans were tried in an effort to swing the opposing factions into line, but all failed.

Then a compromise was reached on Medalle, whose legal qualifications made him acceptable both to the President and to Attorney General Mitchell, who actually had the official task of making the recommendation to the President.

A dispute of similar importance remains to be settled by the President in Minnesota. There the entire Congressional delegation has been lined up behind a candidate for the new federal judgeship, but Mitchell has declined to act.

SPORT BRIEFS

Chicago, Jan. 7.—(AP)—Hank "Hard Luck" Bruder, Northwestern University football halfback, was looking for a job today, having withdrawn from college in order to support his bride of three days, the former Miss Omega Gilbert of Mattoon, Ill.

Chicago, Jan. 7.—(AP)—Gary Leach, Gary, Ind., youth who has been building up a string of quick knockouts, today was matched to meet Mickey McFarland of Chicago in an added six round feature to the King Levinsky-Jimmy Slattery card at the Chicago Stadium next Monday night.

Los Angeles, Jan. 7.—(AP)—More than three hundred golfers, less than one-third of whom will be fortunate enough to earn the right to appear in Los Angeles' \$10,000 open tournament Friday, Saturday and Sunday, tee off today in qualification play over half a dozen courses. Forty others, low scorers in the 1930 Los Angeles open or in the National Open, exempt from the 18-hole test, continued practice rounds over the Wilshire par 69 course.

New York, Jan. 7.—(AP)—Bobby Jones' re-election as a member of the executive committee of the United States Golf Association apparently will be only a formality when the U. S. G. A. holds its annual meeting here Saturday.

Officers of the organization declared that his retirement from amateur golf, his motion picture and radio contracts had not made him ineligible for the committee post nor had they aroused any unfavorable reaction within the organization.

Jones will not be at the meeting.

New York, Jan. 7.—(UP)—The Brooklyn Robins will play 31 exhibition games in preparation for the 1931 National League baseball season. Five of the games will be played in Havana.

The Robins will open their exhibition season in Tampa, Fla., on March 8 in a game with the Cincinnati Reds, and close with a brace of games against the New York Yankees April 11-12 in Brooklyn.

Chicago, Jan. 7.—(UP)—Natie Brown, San Francisco heavyweight, will make his debut as a member of Jack O'Keefe's stable tonight when he meets Tom Jones, Chicago Negro, at Cicero Stadium. Brown recently signed with O'Keefe and is a stable mate of Tuffy Griffiths and Larry Johnson.

Tuffy O'Dowd, Pocatello, Idaho, and Mickey Patrick, Chicago, will meet in the six round semi-final.

Chicago, Jan. 7.—(UP)—The National Ski Association will hold its annual tournament at Cary Hill slide, Fox River Grove, Jan. 18. The meet is attracting a record entry list, and many star jumpers already are in training at Berrien Springs slide in Michigan.

The Cary Hill slide will be 115 feet high and 360 feet long.

Chicago, Jan. 7.—(UP)—Eight of the nation's leading players will compete here Jan. 19-25 in the na-

Mount Vernon and Temple of Angkor Vat



East meets west in architecture and in person at the International Colonial and Overseas Exposition in Paris, May to October, 1931, where two of the most striking national displays will be America's Mount Vernon, reproduced in actual size, and the mammoth Temple of Angkor-Vat, from French Indo-China.

These two majestic buildings, prime examples of Colonial simplicity and Oriental flamboyance in architecture, will be near neighbors in the great Paris exposition grounds, where France itself is spending more than \$30,000,000 to show the world

Tragedies Of Mary, Queen Of Scots, Recalled

Copenhagen, Denmark, Jan. 7.—(AP)—The romance, intrigue and tragedy which tangled the life skein of Mary, Queen of Scots, was recalled today as Danish police sought to unravel the mystery surrounding the rifting of the sarcophagus of the Earl of Bothwell, Mary's third husband.

Whether a desire for jewels once belonging to Mary and said to have been buried with Bothwell or a feeling of revenge maintained through four centuries by descendants of those he wronged motivated the violation of the policy would not say, pending investigation.

Police yesterday found the sarcophagus, containing the remains of the Earl, who was the fourth of his line and who died insane in a castle in Zealand on April 14, 1578, broken open and its contents disarranged. There was no evidence that any jewels were found or that anything of great value was buried with Bothwell. Mary was beheaded by order of Queen Elizabeth into whose power she fell.

Bothwell fell in love with Mary and after her marriage to her cousin, Lord Darnley, he allegedly contrived Darnley's murder on the night of February 9, 1567, to make way for himself in her favor.

His first wife divorced him on May 3, on grounds of infidelity with a maid servant, and on May 15, after having become Duke of Orkney and Shetland, he was married to Mary. Their life together lasted only little more than a month.

Mary's troops deserted her and Bothwell left to head a band of pirates. He eluded capture and went to Norway. When his identity became known there he was sent to Copenhagen.

In Copenhagen he offered to aid King Frederick in regaining the Orkneys and the Shetlands for Denmark. The King in consequence refusing all requests for his surrender, Mary demanded a divorce which the Pope finally granted in September 1570, on the ground of her pre-nuptial ravishment.

After Mary's downfall Bothwell was placed in solitary confinement in a castle in Zealand, where he died.

national three-cushion billiard championship. The field includes four seeded players, Johnny Layton of Sedalia, Mo., defending champion; Allen Hall of Chicago; Otto Reisel of Philadelphia and Tiff Denton of Kansas City; and Arthur Thurnblao of Chicago; Davis Jacobs, St. Louis; Charles Jordan, Los Angeles and S. Scoville, Buffalo, winners respectively of the northern, southern western and eastern sectional tournaments.

EMMERSON'S MESSAGE IS READ TODAY

(Continued From Page 1)

tion. Industry must be encouraged in order that unemployment may be reduced. Remedial legislation for laboring men and women deserves the most careful consideration. Whatever can be done to aid agriculture should be undertaken. At the same time appropriations must be held well in hand with a view to tax reduction. The promotion of public works within reason will help to stabilize business and industry, but waste must be eliminated.

Then followed the Governor's rather detailed discussion of the accomplishments of the commission on unemployment and a general summary of what has been done by state and local groups in bringing relief to unemployed and to drought-stricken agriculturists. He followed this with a urgent plea for careful consideration of the problem of taxation. He assumed a tone of lamentation because the electorate failed to improve the amendment submitted in the last election in view of the fact that no proposal to amend the revenue section of the Constitution can be submitted for four years.

Nevertheless, he said the effort to find some measure of relief for overtaxed real estate must be continued, and whatever can be done under the Constitution to secure equality of assessment should be undertaken. He made no specific recommendation.

Re-Appointment
While he urged immediate re-appointment of congressional districts based entirely on population, he offered only a suggestion as to the method for handling the redistricting of the state for selection of members of the General Assembly. This suggestion, which would provide full representation for Cook county in one branch of the Assembly and a limitation of its representation in the other, accompanied the recommendation that the Assembly delegate authority to Chicago to establish by revision of its charter the right of home rule in many matters that now require legislative action.

This method of compensation to Chicago for depriving it of power it would have in one house on the basis of population, hinges, the Governor said, on a suggestion of the Supreme Court that under the Constitution the legislature can empower cities to write and amend their own charters.

Establishment of a balance of power between Cook county and the remainder of the state so that neither could override the other, was urged by the governor. This, he said, would require an amendment to Section Four of the constitution so that Cook county would have full representation based on population in one branch of the legislature and limited representation in the other.

Governor Emmerson mentioned that full representation be allowed on the basis of population in the State Senate, but that Cook county membership in the House be retained at approximately one-third of the total membership of this body. He quoted the laws of several states which correspond to this suggestion, but made no definite recommendation to the Assembly that this system be employed.

Discussed Roads
The chief executive went into detail in a discussion of what he termed unfair discriminations between cities and villages insofar as construction of state roads through them is concerned. "The weakest link in the chain of the state highway system are the streets used as state highways through cities and villages," he said. "It is unfair to require residents along the streets used as highways to reconstruct pavements of the strength and width necessary to carry state-wide traffic. Therefore, I recommend that legislation be enacted which will make lawful state construction of streets occupied by highway through all cities and villages insofar as needs of traffic require. Construction of belt lines around cities may be advisable frequently, and legislation should be enacted to authorize such work when necessary."

Governor Emmerson's unqualified optimism for the future economic status of the state was amended by his urging the legislature to assist in speeding up recovery by promoting public works and buildings thus alleviating employment, but he cautioned that this must be done within reason. "He recognized that agriculture and labor also have suffered severely and charged the legislators with giving these groups whatever assistance they can. Above all these suggestions for state expenditure for relief ran the plea for efficiency and economy."

A good portion of the address was given over to a discussion of flaws in law enforcement and an earnest plea that the legislature choose wisely what new laws it would write into the statute books. "One of the causes for disrespect of the law," he said, "is the large number of statutory provisions which are unenforceable because they are not in accord with the overwhelming public sentiment of the day or have outlived their usefulness." He asked the Assembly to give special consideration to proposals that will be brought before it by the Judicial Advisory Council of the State and the Cook county Judicial Advisory council for improving the machinery of the courts and expediting justice.

The address covered in good part

the story of its material and intellectual progress through the ages.

And virtually all the world will be there. Three thousand natives from such remote spots as Iceland, Madagascar, Samoa, Somaliland, Guam, West Africa, Tibet, and Cambodia are now preparing to sail for Paris, where they will set up their native temples and houses, theatres and schools and restaurants and cafes in the beautiful Park of Vincennes, only a few minutes ride from the gay boulevards.

The United States exhibit, headed by Mount Vernon with Miss Anne Madison Washington, great-great-niece of General George Washington as hostess, will include displays of art and industry from Alaska, the Virgin Islands, Hawaii, the Philippines, Guam and Samoa. This exhibit is under the supervision of C. Bascom Slemph as U. S. Commissioner-General to the Exposition. Congress having appropriated approximately \$300,000 for the purpose.

The Exposition, Europe's greatest since the Paris Exposition of 1900, will be a tremendous pageant of contrasts. Buddhist shrines and Icelandic huts will occupy adjoining plots. African jungle savages will live in their primitive lean-to be-

side golden Marquesans and sturdy Esquimaux. The visitor will be able to eat, drink, visit theatres and displays in "ninety languages."

A major feature of this event will be the first Colonial Olympic games ever held, with athletes from every tiny corner of the globe in competition. Other attractions are an international art exhibit, and a great information hall where American business men and others may obtain all information they require concerning the status and prospects of all overseas markets.

The Exposition, then, will be a dramatic refutation of Kipling's famous "Never the twain shall meet." Paris offers a true meeting of Orient and Occident, of Christian, Moslem, Buddhist, Shintoist, of White, brown, black and yellow men in an exhibition that offers all the benefits and delights of a complete world tour encompassed virtually at your door in Paris.

Officers of the American Committee to the Exposition include General John J. Pershing, Paul Claudel, French Ambassador to the United States, Walter E. Edge, Ambassador to France, George Harrison Phelps of Detroit and C. Bascom Slemph, U. S. Commissioner-General to the Exposition.

Recorded Progress
Great progress, he said, was made in highway construction approximately 1,700 miles of new roads being added to the state system by state bond issue and state aid construction. There are still approximately 2,200 miles of the state bond issue roads to complete at a cost which will total \$100,000,000. "If the present sources of revenue are left undisturbed," he said, "sufficient funds will be collected to complete practically all of this work within the next three years. I urge most strongly that the present sources of highway revenues not be diverted until the pledge to the people when the state bond issues were adopted has been kept and the system has been completed."

He recommended appropriations so that the complete highway system program may be continued as originally planned. He recommended continuation of present policies regarding administration of counties' share of the state-collected motor fuel taxes, which he credited with making possible the great progress in highway construction of the last two years.

In conclusion Governor Emmerson expressed his appreciation for the cooperation of the 56th General Assembly and for the earnest and intelligent work of the department heads and state employees who have cooperated in efforts at efficiency. It was an "open door" policy he announced in closing his address when he told legislators that "while I was elected as a Republican, I consider myself the governor of the whole people. My door is open to representatives of both parties and I hope we may all work together for the public good."

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Washington, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Swift action by the postoffice Department today had ousted four Indiana postmasters charged with purchasing their appointments from a Member of Congress.

All came from the First District, represented by Harry E. Rowbottom, Republican. He was not named in the Postoffice Department announcement of the dismissals yesterday, but two of the dismissed persons said they had contributed to Rowbottom's campaign fund and another was active for him in the last election, which saw the representative's defeat by a Democrat.

Evidence in the cases was in the hands of the Department of Justice for action.

The discharged Postmasters are: Otto A. Wellbrenner, Mount Vernon; William E. Davison, Petersburg; McKinley Ayres, Chrisney; and Mrs. He'en Roetzel, Blonville, a rural carrier. Rose Wibelber of Dale, was suspended at the same time.

The investigation was instigated by Indiana's two Republican Senators, Watson and Robinson.

Appointments to replace the four were made immediately. Rowbottom, at his home in Evansville, said he knew nothing of the dismissals. Mrs. Roetzel said she had paid \$200 into the Representative's campaign fund. Ayres, who had held his office nine years, declined to discuss the dismissal. Wellbrenner said he had contributed but refused to name the amount. Davison was active in Rowbottom's last campaign.

MEXICAN ART EXHIBIT TOURS CITIES OF U. S.

Display Is Brought Here Through Efforts Of Senator Morrow

By JAMES C. FETZER.

United Press Staff Correspondent.
Pittsburgh, Jan. 7.—(UP)—The exhibition of Mexican art applied art which comes to Pittsburgh this month, is an instance of the work of art being called upon to serve in a diplomatic capacity.

The exhibit, embracing every branch of applied art in Mexico, was suggested by former Ambassador Dwight W. Morrow when he was brought out the harmonious relationship now existing between the United States and Mexico.

At Ambassador Morrow's suggestion, Homer Saint-Gaudens, director of Fine Arts of the Carnegie Institute, undertook the selection of the exhibit from the various parts of Mexico. The Carnegie Corporation underwrote the expenses of the exhibit.

The various objects of Mexican art, showing the application of the principles of beauty and harmony to the household life of the country were gathered together for the first exhibition in Mexico City, June 15, 1930. The premiere of the exhibit was assured of success for it was under the auspices of the Mexican government.

The collection came to this country in October and was displayed first in the Metropolitan Museum in New York. It was the first representative display of applied art to be sent to America from Mexico, according to Carnegie Institute officials.

From New York the exhibition went to Boston. Pittsburgh is the third city in which it is to be displayed.

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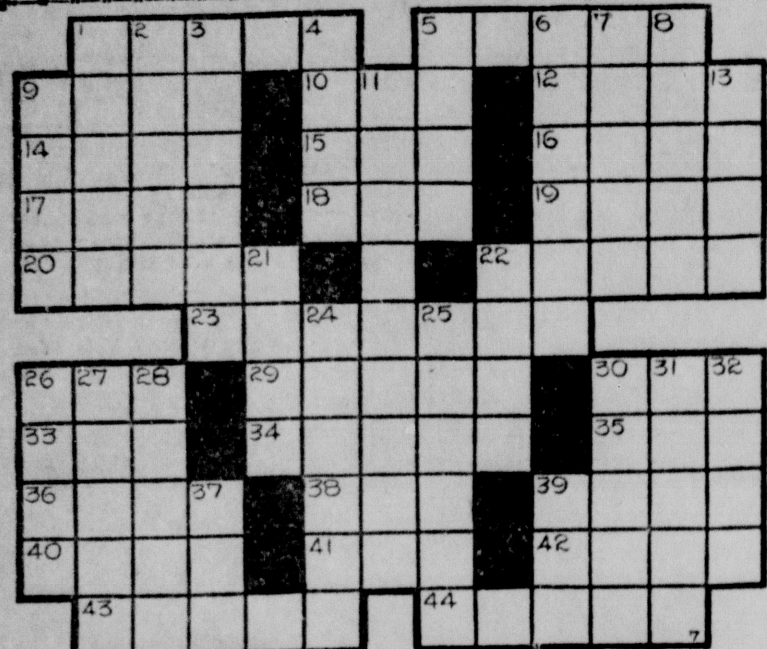
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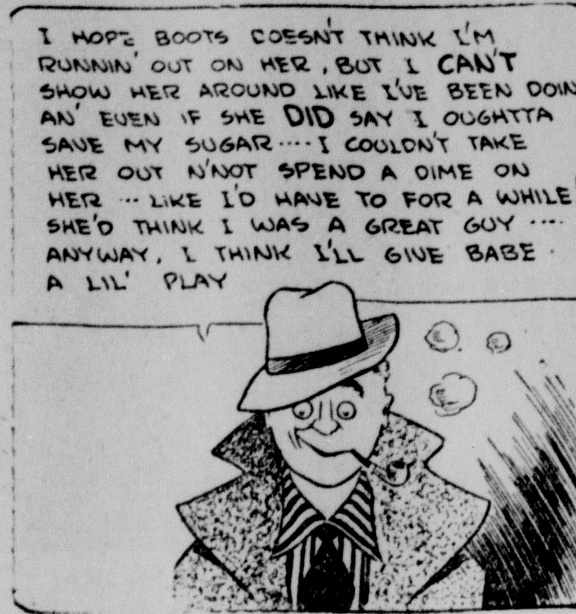
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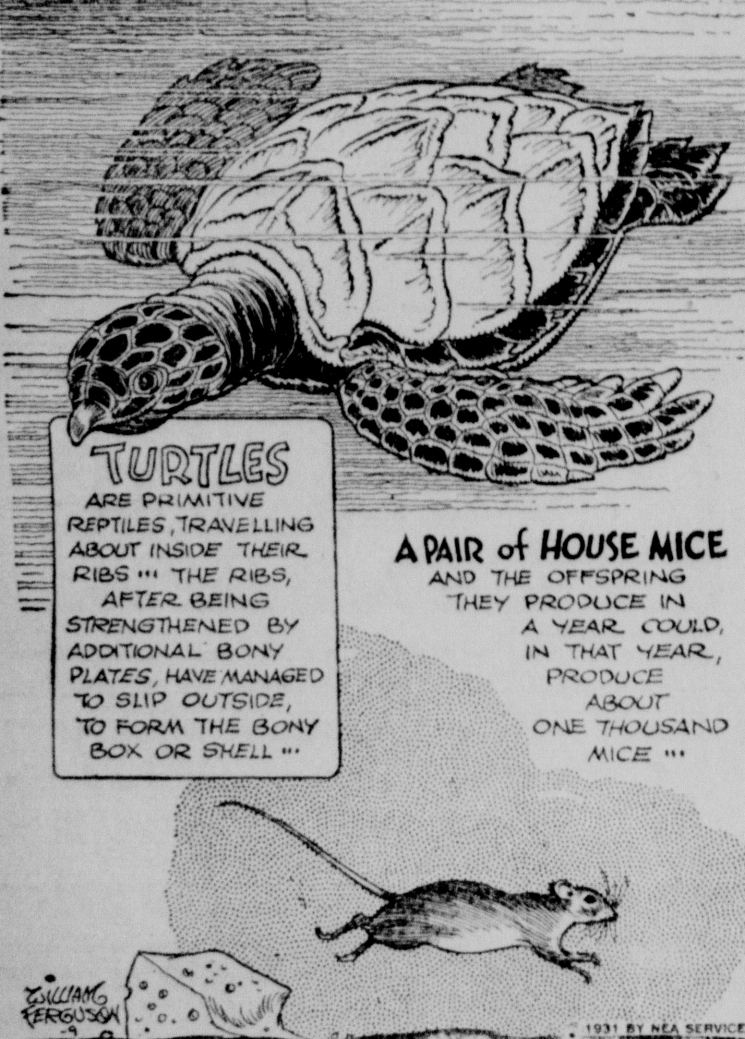
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FOR SALE—Save your hogs, fight the flu. Eby's Hog Flu Remedy, a cure and a preventive. Campbell's White Cross Drug Store. 296126

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FOR SALE—Black horse, weight 1700, 7 years old. Would exchange on lighter weight horse. J. C. Becker, 7 miles west on Lincoln Highway. 213

FOR SALE—Bay mare, 8 years old. Sound. Lawrence Hill, Harmon, Ill. 313

FOR SALE—Public auction of the Ephraim Horner residence, located at 1019 Chestnut Ave. in Dixon, Jan. 8th, 1931, at the Court House in Dixon; also 3 large electric pads. For particulars inquire of J. W. Cortright, Executor or Henry C. Warner, Attorney. 313

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred boar, Cholera immunized. Oscar Buhler, Phone 59200. 413

FOR SALE—Slightly used sewing machine, Round Bobbin. Price reasonable. 108 S. Hennepin Ave. Over Red & White Store, Dixon. 413

FOR SALE—1925 Ford coupe. Runs good. \$25 cash takes it. Call at 1705 W. First St. 413

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FOR SALE—Electric washer, 12x15, Hot, Heatsola, dufold, dining table, hard coal burner, dresser, beautiful piano, cheap. 900 W. First St. Tel. R1024. 513

FOR SALE—Honey, Golden Blossom Tupelo strained honey, 30c per qt. Bring your own container. Confectionery Division, The Borden Co. 513

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1929 Ford Roadster, Side mounts in fender wells. Rumble seat. Bargain.
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Phone 316.
J. E. GOYEN, 213 W. Second St. 513

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WANTED—Hauling. Have truck to Chicago several times each week and can take care of any goods going in. Call 1001 or 1020, Dixon Fruit Co. 2631

WANTED—Every housekeeper in Dixon to use our white paper for pantry shelves and bureau drawers. It is nicely put up in rolls. Price 10c to 50c. B. F. Shaw Printing Co. 413

WANTED—The Telegraph subscribers to read the ads of Dixon merchants as they appear in this paper daily. It means great savings to you. 413

WANTED—Long distance moving also hauling and shipments of all kinds to and from Chicago. Call Selover & Son, Long Ave., Dixon, Phone W1145. 1541

WANTED—Caning and old fashioned spint weaving. Antique refitting. H. B. Fuller, 1021 East Chamberlain, Phone W456. 2681

WANTED—I specialize in local and long distance hauling of live stock. Will appreciate your patronage. H. Haentsch, Phone N22. 413

WANTED—Car washing, polishing, repair work. Our work guaranteed, prices are right. Simonizing \$4 car. Inquire at 315 Highland Ave., also heated garage, price \$4 month for storage. Phone K376. 316

WANTED—Cultured lady, capable and experienced, seeks position as housekeeper or companion in modern home of refinement. Highest references. Address letter, "C. C." in care of this office. 413

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WANTED—Position by an experienced stenographer. Phone 2 long and 2 shorts on 27, Lee Center. 413

WANTED—Substantial reward will be paid for information as to the present address of Leonard (Aaron) Hoganstein. Address Box 98, Dixon. 513

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FOR RENT—2 pleasant rooms furnished for housekeeping in modern home. Sink in kitchen, first floor. 316 E. First St. Tel. X831. 413

FOR RENT—3 modern furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Newly decorated. No children. Inquire, 812 W. Third St. Phone Y451. 313

FOR RENT—Desirable furnished bedrooms in modern home, close to town. Tel. X351 and 463. 516 Crawford Ave. 1901

FOR RENT—Furnished sleeping room, in modern home. Close neighborhood. Close-in. Phone R443. 1811

FOR RENT—4, 3, 2-room furnished apartment on second floor. Bath, private entrance. Heat, water and light furnished. Garage if desired. 1215 W. Second St. Phone M1343. 2931

FOR RENT—Modern apartment, 3 rooms and bath. Garage if desired. Clinton Fahrney, 748 Brinton Ave. Tel. 224 or Y519. 413

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MONEY TO LOAN—On Chattel Mortgage security. \$300.00 or less. C. B. Swartz, 110 Galea Ave., Phone K906. 1931

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Wickersham Report on Crime Due Soon



George W. Wickersham, chairman of President Hoover's Law Enforcement Commission, is shown here in a striking new sketch by Staff Artist George Scarbo. Mr. Wickersham's commission is expected to make its long-awaited report to President Hoover soon.

OBITUARY

GERHARD FRERICHS
(contributed)

Gehard John Henry Frerichs was born January 22, 1858 in Minnen, Oldenburg, Germany. At an early age he was baptized and later confirmed in the Lutheran church. He learned the tailor trade from his father. He served in the German army for three years. In the year of 1884 on the 3rd of May he was united in holy wedlock to Johanna Wilhelmine Elise Thaden. Five years later he came to America settling down in Morrison, Illinois, where he resided for two years, following the occupation learned from his father. He and his family moved to Sterling in 1890 and lived there until 1899 again earning a livelihood by tailoring. In October of 1899 the family came to Dixon residing at first on the north and then on the south side known as Dement-town where Mr. Frerichs opened up a tailor shop. The departed enjoyed good health until 10 years ago when asthma set in. Although of a strong constitution, Mr. Frerichs finally succumbed and departed life Saturday evening at 8:35; bronchial asthma and asthma of the heart causing his death.

He reached the age of 72 years, 11 months and 12 days. He leaves to mourn his passing his beloved wife; one daughter, Mrs. Glen Boos; five sons, Emil and Ernest Nelson, Albert and Henry of Dixon and Julius of LaCrosse, Wisconsin; also two brothers, William of Clinton, Iowa, and Emil of Galt; five grandchildren and several nieces and nephews, and two sisters-in-law.

MRS. ELLA MARCH
(contributed)

Mrs. Ella March was born at Espy, Penn., May 6, 1864 and passed away January 1, 1931. She came with her parents to Nachusa, Illinois, 53 years ago and has resided in Lee and Ogles counties ever since. She leaves to mourn her departure, one daughter, Mrs. Dave Boos, and one son Fred McGarvey, both of Dixon. She also leaves three sisters, Mrs. Sarah Werkheiser of Pennsylvania; Mrs. Della Madden of Dixon and Mrs. Clark Farrell of Oregon.

OREGON NEWS

Oregon—The January term of the Ogle county circuit court opened on Monday with Judge William Emerson of this city presiding.

State's Attorney Martin V. Peterson was advanced from the office of secretary and treasurer to that of president of the Illinois State's Attorneys' Association at the session held last week in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Rippberger announce the marriage of their daughter, Grace, to Leroy Goulding, son of Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Goulding of Sterling which occurred at the Trinity Episcopal church in Chicago March 28, 1930. Mr. Goulding is a student at the Northern Illinois College of Optometry, Chicago, from which he will graduate in June.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Crickman of Washington, D. C. spent the holidays with Mrs. Crickman's parents, Mr.

LOST

LOST—Man's Elgin wrist watch on First St. Reward. Return to this office. 413

LOST—Sunday evening. Narrow brown silk belt with orange and brown clasp buckle. Phone X150. 413

LOST—Boston Bull terrier. Answers name of "Gin." Call Phone 293. 313

Streator — C. C. Barr, 79, retired

Murder at Bridge

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by ANNE AUSTIN
author of
"THE BLACK PIGEON"
"THE AVENGING PARROT"
"MURDER BACKSTAIRS"

BEGIN HERE TODAY

SPECIAL INVESTIGATOR DUNDEE believes that JUANITA SELIM and DEATER SPRAGUE were both murdered by the same person in a blackmail scheme, while the police theory is that they were killed to avenge "UNLAWFUL SAMMY" SA. 1911, whom they are supposed to have betrayed.

Of Dundee's six months' search for the murderer, he thinks it most likely she killed Nita, thinking Nita had told her husband of her own involvement in the murder and that SPRAGUE was killed because he was a witness to a scheme of murder. He leaves this explanation to the reader's imagination, and that he is a "murderer" was once believed in New York. Dundee feels that the case in which Nita was arrested and which he thinks is a real case, is the case of the "murder" of Nita. At the time of the murder, Dundee was in the city of New York, where he was involved in a case of murder. He leaves this explanation to the reader's imagination, and that he is a "murderer" was once believed in New York. Dundee feels that the case in which Nita was arrested and which he thinks is a real case, is the case of the "murder" of Nita.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XIII

"I never met Nita's husband," Dundee said. "As a matter of fact, she told me extraordinarily little about him, and did not discuss her marriage with the other girls of the chorus at all. I got the impression that Mr. Selim—Mat, she called him—wanted to keep secret for a while, but I don't know why. This was early in 1918, as I've told you, though I have no way of fixing even the approximate date, and New York was full of soldiers. I remember I jumped to the conclusion that Nita had succumbed to a war romance."

"When did she tell you of her marriage?" Dundee asked. "This was early in 1918, as I've told you, though I have no way of fixing even the approximate date, and New York was full of soldiers. I remember I jumped to the conclusion that Nita had succumbed to a war romance."

"The very day she was married," Dundee answered. "She was late for the matinee. Our dressing tables were side by side, and as she slipped out of her dress—"

"This dress?" Dundee asked, and handed her the photograph of dead Nita in the royal blue velvet dress she had kept for 12 years.

"Yes," and Serena Hart shrugged. "Her hair was dressed like that, too, although she had been wearing it in long curls, and had to take it down before she could go on for the opening number. She whispered to me that she had been married that day, that she was terribly happy, very much in love, and that her husband had asked her to dress her hair in the French roll, a favorite hair-dress with him. Between numbers she whispered to me again, telling me that her husband was 'so different,' 'such a lamb'—totally unlike any man she had met on Broadway, poor child."

"No, she did not tell me how old he was, where he came from, his business, or what he looked like, and I did not inquire. As the days passed—weeks, probably—she became more and more silent and reserved, though once or twice she protested she was still terribly happy. Then came a day when she did not show up for the performance at all. The next night she

"When did the mistake occur?" Dundee asked, in great excitement. "Let me think!" Serena Hart frowned. "Hullabaloo! opened in the first night of May, 1922. Just a little more than eight years ago."

Dundee reached for his own hat in a fever to be gone, but to his surprise the actress stopped him a faint color in her pale cheeks. "Since you're from Hamilton, and

are investigating the murder, you have undoubtedly met little Penelope Crain?"

"I know her very well. It happens that she is private secretary to the district attorney, under whom I work. . . . Why?"

"I saw her as lead in the Easter play at Forsyte four or five years ago," Miss Hart explained, her face turned from the detective as she dusted it with powder, "and I was impressed with her talent. In fact, I advised her father, who had come from Hamilton to witness the performance, as proud parents are likely to do, to let her go on the stage."

"So you met Roger Crain?" Dundee paused to ask.

"Oh, yes. . . . a charming man with even more personality than his daughter," the actress answered carelessly, so carelessly that Dundee had a sudden hunch.

"Have you seen Mr. Crain recently? He deserted his family and fled Hamilton, in rather unsavory circumstances."

"What do you mean?" Miss Hart asked sharply.

"Oh, there was nothing actually criminal, I suppose, but he is believed to have withheld some securities which would have helped satisfy his creditors, when bankruptcy was imminent," Dundee explained. "Have you seen him since then—January, that was, I believe?"

"January?" Miss Hart appeared to need time for reflection. "Oh, yes! He sent in his card on the first night of my show that opened in January. It was a flop—lasted only five weeks."

"Do you know where Mr. Crain is now?" Dundee asked. "I have a message for him from Penny, which I should like to reach him."

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"That her mother wants him to come home," Dundee answered. "And I am sure Penny wants him back, too. . . . The mother is one of the sweetest, gentlest, most tragic women I have ever met—and you have seen Penny for your self. . . . The disgrace has been very hard on them. It would be splendid if Roger Crain would come back and redeem himself."

Half an hour later Bonnie Dundee, in the file room of The New York Evening Star, was in possession of the bound volume of the newspaper for the month of May 1922. Under the caption on the front page of the issue of May 3, which Serena Hart had quoted so accurately, was a picture of a young, laughing Nita Leigh, her curls bobbed short, a rose between her gleaming teeth. And in the issue of May 4 appeared two pictures side by side—exotic, straight-haired, stant-eyed Anita Lee, who had found life so insupportable that she had ended it, and the same photograph of living, vital Nita Leigh.

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Detroit Zoo Shunks

Settle Own Trouble

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 7.—(UP)—The matter of getting three very active and healthy shunks out of the city zoo here, where they had taken up abode with 17 perfectly harmless and docile members of the species, has been taken care of. What with spring and open windows coming on, and the shunk house adjacent to the zoo offices, the matter had threatened to become somewhat embarrassing.

It was then that John T. Millen, director of the zoo, advertised for a good courageous shunk catcher. He has since received advice and suggestions from all parts of the country. But before he could take action, the 17 shunks with their modern refinements, took matters in their own hands, as it were.

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POLICE SCHOOL AT CHICAGO U. IS UNDER WAY

Course in Applied Crim- inology Is Started At University

By RAY BRENNAN
United Press Staff Correspondent

Chicago, Jan. 7.—(UP)—Forty police executives answered the bell for the University of Chicago's course in applied criminology, assembling in a blackboarded lecture hall overlooking the campus to hear Professor August Vollmer's description of the requirements for an unofficial degree.

Ninety per cent of the students, appropriately, were Irish. A United Press Correspondent enrolled for the first day and found that the blackboards and a few charts, were the only touches that gave the course a classroom atmosphere.

Otherwise, as Prof. Vollmer, noted criminologist, who revolutionized police methods as chief of the Berkeley, Cal., police department, explained, the course is a departure from the customary walks of learning, venturing on untrodden ground with the expectation of keeping science ahead of crime.

The police executives, mostly young men, with here and there veterans, didn't know whether to attend as students or as officers of the law, and compromised, many wearing their badges under business suits and other producing notebooks and pencils. There was no evidence anyone came armed.

The quiet lecture hall of the university's library was the scene of the class. Instead of desks, there were rows of upholstered chairs. Instead of a professor's desk, there was a platform, from which Vollmer lectured.

To Select Subjects
Vollmer, a gray-haired, upright man of about 45, quiet of voice, began:

"I'd rather be a copper than be President."

That caught the attention of the students. Vollmer said they would put every type of criminal under a figurative microscope, analyzing the influence that makes bad men, inquiring into their amenability to reform, classifying them by types of crime.

For that purpose, Vollmer said, specimens for the laboratory will be selected on trips to Chicago's Bridewell, and the courts. "The policeman," he said, "is priest, legal adviser, medical counsel, welfare worker, educator, peace-maker and has many other roles to those on his beat. We'll help him fill the part."

"With the aid of experts in Chicago's and other police departments we'll study modern crime methods here and abroad, traffic control, radio's possibilities, by lecture, trips and reference works."

Prof. Albert S. Osborne, handwriting expert of the New York Police Department; Dr. John A. Larson, inventor of the "lie detector," and Chief of Police John Alcock of Chicago are faculty members.

Typical students were James Frederickson and Walter Anderson of the Flint, Mich. police department, sent to obtain ideas for a similar school in Flint.

SOUTH DIXON

SOUTH DIXON — Miss Francis Brechon, T. N. of Aurora, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Brechon.

Mr. and Mrs. William Siebers and Mr. and Mrs. J. Lautzenheiser spent Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Duis.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Beard spent Monday afternoon in Waukegan.

Miss Della Hanson of East Grove visited with her sister, Mrs. Amy Woffman and also at the Jesse Lautzenheiser home during the week.

Miss Catherine Gatchel and Misses Julia and Alice Brechon were Rockford visitors last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Shippert were Dixon callers on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hoyle and son Wayne and Mr. and Mrs. J. Lautzenheiser were entertained on New Year's Day, with a duck dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Weeks in Dixon.

Wm. Spangler and son, Lee, assisted with wood-sawing at the John Spangler home on Tuesday.

On New Year's Day, Mr. and Mrs. Harold McCleary entertained Mr. and Mrs. Ross Wakey and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCleary and sons at dinner.

Miss Julia Brechon visited on Friday at the John Bennett home in Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Murphy of Dixon, the Misses Sweeney and Joseph Sweeney, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hoyle and son and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lautzenheiser were entertained at the J. P. Brechon home on Monday evening. 500 was enjoyed and a most delicious lunch served.

Mr. and Mrs. William Spangler and daughter, Dorothy spent New Year's evening with Mr. and Mrs. John Lohmeyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew O'Malley of Dixon were New Year's visitors at the home of John Conroy and family.

Lloyd Henry visited with Wayne Hoyle during the week.

George Travis was a business visitor in Dixon on Wednesday.

Mrs. Heid and sons, were shopping in Dixon on Wednesday.

Dr. Jones, veterinarian, was a caller in this territory on Friday.

Miss Harriet Tourillott of Sterling has been spending the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Tourillott.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hoyle, Miss Margaret Healy and Austin Brady

were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kennedy on Saturday evening and cards were enjoyed.

John Conroy was a Dixon visitor on Friday.

Mrs. Ida Rosbrook visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hoyle during the week.

Albert Beard and family were Dixon business visitors on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert King were Saturday callers in Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Beard and family, Messrs Edward and James Messer and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lautzenheiser were entertained on Sunday at the William Spangler home.

A delicious roast duck dinner was enjoyed by all present.

Miss Helen Brechon of Dixon visited during the week, with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Brechon.

Robert Travis who has been ill with a gripe is much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. George Travis entertained several neighbors at their home on Friday evening and all report a very enjoyable evening.

John Conroy and family were entertained on New Year's Day with a goose dinner at the home of Mrs. Katherine Klein in Marion.

KINGDOM KNOTS

KINGDOM—Wilson R. Albertson passed away at his home, December 29, 1930 after a lingering illness for several weeks with cancer of the liver.

He was a patient sufferer always glad to see his friends and neighbors who were many, all that medical skill and loving hands could do to lessen his pains was done. He was lovingly cared for during his sickness by his daughter, Mrs. Rena Brink from White S. Dakota. Mr. Albertson's funeral was held on Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 at the home and 2:00 o'clock at the Kingdom church in charge of Rev. R. R. Heidreich pastor of the church.

He read the 103 Psalms and based his remarks upon the 13-14 verses of the 103 Psalms "Like as a father pitieth his children, so the Lord pitieth them that fear him, for he knoweth our frame, he remembereth that we are dust, and emphasis on the fact that "God knows and God cares. In the fellowship that the pastor and Mr. Albertson have had for several years he was always a welcome visitor in his home as the servant of God.

Mr. Albertson was of a jovial disposition, the young people all liking him and he will be missed in the home in the community but mostly in the home with which he was associated there. Two comforting songs were sung, "The Beautiful Land" and "Wonderful Place" by Thomas McWethy, George Gates, Frank Floto and John Morris assisted by Mrs. Fred Gates on the piano.

Pal bearers were Chas. Henry, Leonard Stevens, Fred Gates, John Morris, Will Morris and George Gronewold. The pastor closed his fitting remarks with the quotations from the poet:—
It matters little where I was born,
Or if my parents were rich or poor,
Whether they shrank at the cold world's scorn,
Or walked in the pride of wealth secure.

But whether I live an honest man,
And hold my integrity firm in my clutch,
I tell you brother as plain as I can,
It matters much.

It matters little how long I stay, in
a world of sorrow and sin and care

Whether in youth I am called away,
or live till my bones and pate are bare,
But whether I do the best I can, to
soften the weight of adversity's touch

In the fading cheek of my fellow
man, it matters much.

It matters little where he be grave,
or on the land or in the sea,
By purling brook or heath stormy
wave, it matters little or naught to be,

But whether the angel death comes
down and marks my brow with his loving touch,
As one that shall wear the victor's
crown, it matters much.

Mr. Albertson was laid to rest in the Grand Detour cemetery. The funeral services were held in the home of Ben Smith and family in Franklin Grove.

Mrs. Will Floto and daughter Ora were callers at the Albertson home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Floto and family from Beloit are visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Floto.

Mrs. Lillian Stevens who assisted in the care of Mr. Albertson returned to her home in Dixon on Monday.

Mrs. Elmer Whitney and sons are

entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kennedy on Saturday evening and cards were enjoyed.

John Conroy was a Dixon visitor on Friday.

Mrs. Ida Rosbrook visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hoyle during the week.

Albert Beard and family were Dixon business visitors on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert King were Saturday callers in Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Beard and family, Messrs Edward and James Messer and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lautzenheiser were entertained on Sunday at the William Spangler home.

A delicious roast duck dinner was enjoyed by all present.

Miss Helen Brechon of Dixon visited during the week, with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Brechon.

Robert Travis who has been ill with a gripe is much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. George Travis entertained several neighbors at their home on Friday evening and all report a very enjoyable evening.

John Conroy and family were entertained on New Year's Day with a goose dinner at the home of Mrs. Katherine Klein in Marion.

Michael Stahl and family spent Saturday evening at the Wm. Spangler home.

Mrs. Harold McCleary and children and mother, Mrs. Lelvan spent Friday at the Roy McCleary home in Nelson township.

Mrs. Noah Beard has been entertaining her two sisters, a brother-in-law and brother during the holidays. They departed for their homes in Tennessee on Friday.

enjoying a vacation with relatives at Morrison, Prophetstown and Geneseo.

Mrs. Mary Albertson is ill at this writing and her many friends wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fisel of near Dixon were visitors on Sunday at the home of her mother, Mrs. Albertson.

Eugene Gronewold is not gaining in health as fast as his friends wish he were.

Mrs. John Gronewold from Oregon is spending a few days at the home of her son, George and family.

and Japan and have received some very interesting replies.

The Mary Monroe Service Guild of the Presbyterian church met with Mrs. Leslie Bain, Monday night.

A feature of the opening of the Grieve & Walker, Inc., store's 25th anniversary sale, which starts Saturday, January 10th, is a candle guessing contest, in which prizes will be awarded to those guessing the nearest to the number of hours a large candle, lighted and placed in the window, opening morning of the sale. There is no lottery or sale tickets or coupons—just an old-fashioned guessing contest.

ASHTON NEWS

ASHTON—Miss Eva Hunt was hostess to a group of friends at her home on Thursday. At bridge Miss Myra Griffith won high score and Miss Lora Quick consolation.

Ashton subscribers to the Telegraph should pay their subscriptions either to John Thome, country circuit, or at The Telegraph office in Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Linscott were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Knapp on Sunday. Mrs. Knapp does show the improvement many friends would like to see.

Mrs. Vera Johnson returned to her home at Madison, Wis., the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cross were hosts to Charles Cross, Miss Eva Cross and Hamilton and Wayne on New Year's Day.

Miss Laura Billmire and Miss Mary Lois Pfeiffer will be hosts to a group of friends on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Reed of Amboy were guests at the home of Mrs. Reed's parents on Sunday.

H. O. Moore, local merchant, has been having a painful experience with his finger which was infected by a splinter several weeks ago. It

was necessary to lance the wounded finger again the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Worthington of Washington Grove are the parents of a small daughter.

Bruce Heath has been quite ill. Many from the Grove attended the funeral services for the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cain of Mt. Morris Sunday.

Sunday school officers elected for the Washington Grove Congregational-Christian are as follows: Superintendent—Cole Tilton. Asst. Superintendent—Mrs. R. Y. Tilton.

Secretary-Treasury—Miss Vera Cain. Assistant—John Jacobs. Librarian—Ivan Altenberg. Teachers—

Adults—Rev. W. S. Sanford. Young People—Ralph Sanford. Intermediate—Bertha Sanford. Primary—Mrs. Eva Beanna. Beginners—Miss Dela Mae Tilton. Mrs. Charlotte Meling and small daughter, Janet, returned from a week's visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Meling at Lee.

The village of Ashton has announced that it will redeem the second installment of paving bonds by February 10, 1931. After this debt, these bonds, \$50,000, will cease to draw interest. The first lot of pavement bonds were paid off a year ago, this lot amounted to \$110,000.

Holidays drew to a close and school children are now back at their studies. The vacation was a pleasant one for most youngsters, sleighing and skating being fine much of the time and the weather not intensely cold. College lads are trekking back to their books and mothers find the homes quite a bit quiet and orderly than at this time last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brummer of Chicago were guests over the holidays with home folks at Ashton and Oregon.

The St. John's Orphans Aid meets

OUR BOARDING HOUSE



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Thursday Jan. 9th at the church parlors.—E. T.

AMBOY NEWS

Amboy—Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Ortved and children of Dixon, spent New Year's at the Thos. Lippard home.

Most of the young people who were home for the holidays left Sunday to return to the various schools where they resumed their studies Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dauntler and Mr. and Mrs. George Mathias and daughter, Frances of Dixon, visited friends her Sunday evening.

The Legion bazaar which closed New Year's Eve was a complete success.

Mrs. Lester Poper and son spent last week visiting relatives in Haldane.

Constance Eileen, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Shubert is slowly recovering from a severe case of the flu.

Mrs. Geo. Gipon is visiting in Maple Park.

Mrs. Josephine Halliday and daughter, Lucille, returned Monday night from a pleasant two weeks visit with relatives and friends in Manitowac, Wis.

A dance will be given in the Opera House Wednesday night.

Thos. Lepperd and Paul Heckman attended the theatre in Dixon Sunday night.

The high school basketball team will play the Oregon high school team in the local gym Friday night.

Due to the holiday vacation the team has not practiced regularly and will be very busy getting in shape for this contest as Oregon has a strong team.

The board of directors of the Red and White Stores met here with H. R. Turnquist Monday evening.

Clarence Michael spent the week-end at his home in West Brooklyn.

LaVere Finch and George Flint attended the show in Dixon Sunday night.

Emory Cherry went to Chana last Friday to see his sister who is very ill.

C. C. McNeill of Prophetstown spent the week-end at the J. D. Porter home. Mrs. Porter returned

with him for an indefinite stay with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wolf of Morrison spent Sunday evening with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Winebrenner.

Miss Amelia Lewis spent the day with her sister, Mrs. Douglas Jones of Oregon recently.

DEAD MAN SIGNED CHECKS
Fall River, Mass.—(UP)—Frank Belford and Herman David, merchants, discovered that two checks for \$27 which they had cashed for a stranger bore the signature of a local man who had been dead several years.

Many have ordered the Dixon Telegraph as a New Year's gift to be sent to out-of-town relatives and friends.

Grand Detour News

GRAND DETOUR—Jerome Porter spent the past week at Pine Creek with his cousin Leon Toms.

Mr. and Mrs. Wales Sheller entertained at dinner New Year's Day Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Senn, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Parks also Mrs. Hulda Sheller and daughter Betty of Dixon.

Elmer Farney of Madison, Wis., called on friends here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John Page entertained a number of friends with cards in New Year's eve.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Sheffield spent New Year's Day with their son, Arthur and family in Dixon.

Virginia and Evelyn Schumacher of Dixon spent the past week with their grandmother, Mrs. Albert Glessner and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Galen Moser and son spent Sunday afternoon in

Admission 25c

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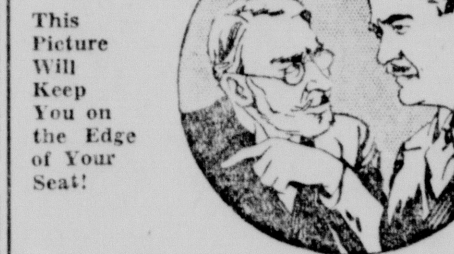
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